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Wanaymaker & Brawns, extensive clothing dealers, in New York, have failed for $250,000.

Arizona is garrisoned by 8000 United States troops. The Indians, however, are as dangerous as ever—the Apaches.

It is said that another attempt was made to assassinate the Emperor of Russia. This one was made by two men disguised as women.

Reports prejudicial to the Commercial Bank of Toronto are pronounced entirely unfounded. Its notes are taken at all banks at par.

Colonel John H. James, late of the United States Army, died at Lookout Mountain House Tuesday morning.

The annual Paris races took place on Monday. The great prize of Paris was won by Patrician. Great excitement and interest prevailed.

The *Republican* contains the returns of the registration in Georgia. It numbers 183,720, of whom 95,303 are whites.

General Wigfall is living at No. 52 Gloucester Place, Portland Square, London. He is practicing law, and will not return to America.

An effort is being made by [illegible] parties at Chicago to get up a prize [illegible] between Andy Duffy and Jerry Donovan, [illegible] ers, now in that city.

Judge Reese, of the Supreme [illegible] has been invited to resign by the [illegible] will not carry out an order concer[illegible] violates laws of the State.

N. G. Taylor, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, reports that the Platte council was quite satisfactory, and that the prospects of peace are very flattering.

The imports into New York last year were nearly five million dollars; exports, three million five hundred thousand dollars. That's one of the ways the money goes.

Honorable Stoddard R. Colby, register of the United States Treasury, died at Haverhill, New Hampshire, Saturday night, where he was on a visit.

Lord Dalton, a young Englishman of "noble" birth and "limited" fortune, has just married his landlady, a woman many years older than himself.

Samuel Lancheimer, proprietor of a hat and cap store, who was arrested charged with setting fire to his premises, shot himself through the heart in the station house at New York, on Tuesday.

A noticeable feature of the yellow fever in New Orleans is that fewer women than men die of it. This is accounted for by the consideration that men are more exposed and less temperate in their habits than women.

The papers of the Mexican capital announce that the Minister of Brazil offered to the French and Austrian soldiers of the late Empire, to take them into the Brazilian service, with their respective grades, and that they have accepted. Steamers are ready to take them to Rio de Janeiro.

Mrs. Mary Evans, fifty five years old, living near Youngstown, Ohio, was seized by two negroes, while on her way home on Thursday evening, and ravished. A black named Brown has been arrested, and Mrs. Evans identifies him as one of the ruffians.

Considerable excitement has been created at Washington by revelations of the treasonable purposes of the secret political organization known as "The Grand Army of the Republic." The developments, so far as the expose has been made, are startling indeed.

The Pontotoc *Our Own Paper* passes around a swindler, calling himself Major A. L. Pryne, of Wirt Adams' cavalry, who assumed, in Little Rock, the name of Judge G. R. Cherry, of Pontotoc; borrowed money upon that fiction, robbed his host, and was last heard of at Cape Girardeau, as Colonel Wood. The Masons of Pontotoc also publish him.

Captain Thomas Schaff, who recently killed Colonel Fred. B. Sheppard, of Mobile, at the Mount Vernon Arsenal, and who before the decease of Sheppard was tried for conduct unbecoming an officer, will probably be tried for murder by the civil court, now that Sheppard has died from the effect of the shot. If the civil authorities fail to act, a court martial will be ordered.

The National debt is now held by a few thousand bondholders, at a cost to the people of $150,000,000 a year in currency. The people, thirty millions in number, are willing to take the debt in the shape of an issue of legal tenders, and will charge the Government nothing for using it! The question is, shall the debt be held by a few, at an expense of $150,000,000 a year, or shall the many have it, and thus relieve the Government of this immense charge? asks the Cincinnati *Enquirer*.

The Houston (Texas) *Journal* says: "John P. Brodigan, who lately purchased the *Gazette* office, turns out to be a swindler and imposter. He paid off our friend Jo. Walker in forged drafts on the First National Bank of Memphis and the First National Bank of New York. After swindling Walker out of two or thee hundred dollars, he left Austin pretending to be going to meet his wife."

About one year since a man named Bryan Rosbrook figured extensively in Chicago as a gift enterprise man. He sold 1,000 tickets out of 100,000, which he advertised, then had the drawing, but took good care that no. a single number on the tickets sold was put into the wheel, the result was that he drew all the prizes. He then went to Colorado. A letter has just reached this city stating that a short time since Rosbrook administered poison to his two children and took a heavy dose of chloroform himself. All of them are dead.

The steamship Java has made the fastest passage across the Atlantic on record. She left Boston on 20th ult., at 9:25 a.m., and arrived at Halifax at 2:31 p.m., on the following day. Having delayed six hours there, to take passengers and mails, she left at 8:30 p.m., and arrived on the Rochesport, Queenstown, at 5 p.m., on the 5th instant. This makes the time occupied on the voyage between Boston and Queenstown (allowing ten hours for difference of time and the delay at Halifax) six days and twenty-one and one-half hours.

The Nashville *Banner* says: The man who has been driving around our streets a horse and buggy, without bridle or reins, gave an exhibition in Knoxville day before yesterday. In the course of it the horse took a notion to display his freedom, and set off down the street at a furious rate. The man was powerless, and the horse had it all his own way. He went into a wagon and team of mules, smashing the buggy into flinders and throwing the man severely against the tongue of the wagon, caving in his side and ribs, and making a shucking of things generally. The Knoxville heathens looked on with indifference.

General Beauregard writes a letter to the Baltimore *Gazette*, in which he says: "Being still an outlaw in my own native country, I do not feel called upon to uphold its Government, especially at this time, when the country is divided in opinion as to whether Congress or the Executive constitutes the Government; but I am free to state that unless the Conservative element of the nation soon awakens to the dangers which threaten the liberties of the country, I confidently believe that its form of government will, ere long, be changed to a military despotism, after a period of anarchy more or less prolonged."

For the Daily Avalanche.

An Infallible Solution of the Great Problem.

As an unreasonable repugnance against the establishment of negro rule unhappily prevails, it seems to be an office of humanity to suggest some mode of reconciling the conflicting pretensions of the two races. Moreover, Mr. Editor, it becomes us, to annihilate to the political philosophists who feel, that themselves, though unwillingly and unambitiously, charged with the administration of the central government, and through it with the guardianship and advancement of the interests of the south, to aid them with our views and counsel, in the sincere and strenuous efforts they are now making to sublimate our civilization by approximating it to the lofty standard of Northern perfection.

Now, I know that objection is often made to any piece of mechanism, or to any theory in ethics or in politics on the ground of its very simplicity. And perhaps, with great minds and transcendental thinkers the schemes of adjustment I will proceed to offer, may seem but the rude device of incompetency itself. But I would remind these profound speculatists, who look with contempt upon whatever is obvious, of the fact that the falling of an apple suggested to Newton the idea of the laws of gravitation which by conjunction with the centrifugal forces, control and adjust into harmony itself the movements of the orbs of the planetary system. Now this little conception of mine, this falling of an apple to the political earth, may be full of significance to some master intellect, and enable it to work out a perfect plan of fraternization and salvation of these two great families of mankind. I am but a neophyte in the science of politico ethnological miscegenation, and therefore should be very modest in tinkering with it. I dislike long prologues, and will now propound, without further preface, the solution of the great problem. It is this, to wit: that there shall be established in the province of Mississippi, formerly known as the State of Mississippi, two entirely distinct and separate Governments, one a Government made by and for the white man exclusively, and the other a Government made by and for the negro exclusively; she first to be called *Imperium albus*, and the second to be denominated *Imperium nigrum*. The great advantages of such separate governmental organizations and administrations are manifest. The polite and elegant amenities of international amity and comity would be, from the contiguity of the two nationalities, convenient and easy. But more than this, the fashionable and humane recreation of war could be indulged in at a reduced and trifling cost, because the two *peoples*, though not chemically mixed, yet atomically commingled and interflouting, would be relieved of the expense of moving, over great distances, large armies, and of transporting the *impedimenta* of war, as Cæsar calls them, in the shape of baggage and munitions. No *necessity* for war could ever exist, and if it occurred it would simply be from inclination for sport like a taste for bear hunting. How could there be any collision between the two peoples? *Imperium albus*, alone possessing the right of eminent domain in and over the soil of the State, would alone be encumbered with the troublesome and vexatious duty of territorial legislation in the way of regulating private tenures and rights to landed property, and of imposing the odious burden of taxation upon it. So that there could not by possibility be between *Imperium albus* and *Imperium nigrum* any conflict arising from territorial claims and pretentions, or probably in any other way.

True, *Imperium nigrum* might, at first, be a weakly infant, as it would not be descended from ancestors accustomed to the exercise of the functions of government, simple and low and easily understood and easily practiced as these functions are but would be something after the order of the *Novi homines* of old Rome. But then, it must be remembered, the great Napoleon had no forefathers, but was the first-born and very beginning of his race. In the event, however, that the new infant should be sickly or feeble, it could be exercised in a go-cart by its stronger brother, *Imperium albus*, until it could stand alone and have the use of its limbs. Or, perhaps better, it might have its hands taken hold of by its Northern nurses, and be sung to to the tune of linky-by baby, linky-by baby, until excited into a laugh; its thin lips might fairly quiver with spasmodic mirth, and its delicate feet stamping the ground, rejoice in the full force of locomotion. To ride the cornstalk horse, whip the top and fly the kite are the healthful amusements of the young boy. The *Imperium nigrum* decked off with the tinsel trappings of government, would be a magnificent toy, exciting and gratifying the imagination of the negro, whilst its official glories would satisfy the natural appetite for station and power. The easy functions and duties of administration, whether legislative, executive or judicial, would not weigh too heavily on his shoulders. How could they when the government would be happily exempt from the onerous and odious duties of territorial juridiction in every shape, whether as to the delicate questions of taxation or the exercise of an invidious authority over private land matters. In its foreign relations it would be most luckily constituted and located government upon the face of the earth, for from its proximity to *Imperium albus*, with which power it would, in its external relations, be mostly, if not altogether conversant, there would be no difficulty in the world in its ambassadors and envoys finding their way to the court of that power. And such would be the absence of all complications, that these distinguished clellisens, trusted with the representation of their people (we cannot say of their country) at a foreign court, successful in their diplomacy, would return by the same route they went, without the expense of guides, with *shining* countenances envied by their rivals at home, and the observed of all observers." Peace and material prosperity would be the lot of such a people, under such a government. The scheme must commend itself to all sincere negrophilists; and, beyond doubt, to the *Novum Organum luminosum* of Vicksburg, the *Radicalis nigra Republica Vicksburgiensis*, which I hope will earnestly advocate it. JONATHAN SWIFT.

September, 1867. of Sunflower county, Miss.

BY TELEGRAPH.

THURSDAY'S NOON DISPATCHES.

A Pistol Fight Between Two Editors.

Fears of a Disturbance in Nashville.

Dr. Blackburn is Not to be Pardoned.

The Platform of the New York Radicals.

NASHVILLE, September 26.—A newspaper controversy between Major Josh Walker and Colonel J. Albert Smith, ex-Federal officer from Indiana, culminated yesterday evening in a pistol fight in the billiard room of the Stacey House. Walker was the attacking party, and received three wounds, one through the left lung, one through the shoulder, and the other in the thigh. It is thought he cannot survive. Smith was not hurt. He was arrested and held to bail in eight thousand dollars.

The apprehensions of a riot at the municipal election, which have been felt for a week, have been much calmed by Grant's order to General Thomas, and, if carried out properly, the election will be peaceful. The authorities feel assured that they will be permitted to hold an election, as provided by the charter, while leading Radicals are of opinion that General Thomas will not assume to decide the question, but will act upon Governor Brownlow's decision, and thus sustain the franchise law. Probably both parties will hold elections, and let the courts decide the question. General Thomas is expected to-night, when General Cooper, commander of the militia, will consult with him. The latter expects six hundred militia here on Saturday, one company from Jackson having already arrived. Four disbanded companies have been recalled to service; but, with plenty of Federal troops under Thomas, no collision need be feared. The Mayor has telegraphed to Washington, asking that more definite instruction be given to General Thomas.

WASHINGTON, September 26.—Secretary Seward declines to consider Dr. Blackburn as included in the amnesty proclamation of President Johnson, and has returned to him the oath of allegiance which that individual had subscribed and forwarded to the Department of State for filing. The Secretary characterizes the doctor as a detestable felon, whose crime cannot be regarded as an act of rebellion or civil war, but as an offense against mankind.

General Hancock received a serenade by the officers of the Fifth cavalry and Twelfth infantry, merely thanking them. He will leave Washington to-day, stopping a few hours at Philadelphia to visit his widowed mother, and thence will proceed to St. Louis. He will not enter upon his duties at New Orleans until the subsidence of the yellow fever. This has been arranged by General Grant, through the President. He may, however, before that time, establish his headquarters temporarily at this place, and until then General Mower will be responsible for the command.

SYRACUSE, New York, September 26.—The Republican State Convention has passed resolutions pledging the party to the advocacy of negro suffrage, and proposing a modification of the present Excise law.

HAVANA, September 26.—General Monzano died of the typhoid fever. His body has been embalmed, and is now lying in state. Senor Balmorado has been sworn in as provisional Captain General. The city is in mourning. Half hour guns have been fired all day. Yesterday the flags on all the Consular buildings were at half mast. Priest Marshal Veloto has taken command of the military forces.

RICHMOND, September 26.—General Schofield has decided that Congress having prescribed no oath to delegates to the State Convention, there is no other competent authority only the restriction as to the various delegates contained in the fifth section of the act of March 2. No person prevented from holding office by the proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be eligible as a member of the Convention.

FLORENCE, September 25.—When it became known that Garibaldi was arrested and imprisoned in the fortress of Alleman dem, his partisans in the city were greatly exasperated, and, appearing in the streets in crowds, made a turbulent demonstration of sympathy for their leader. The manifestation finally developed into a wild and boisterous riot; but the disturbance, though threatening, was suppressed by the prompt action and firmness of the Government. All volunteers of Garibaldi, who had gathered together at many points on the Roman frontier, have been compelled to disperse and retire, by the Italian troops. Victor Emanuel has issued another proclamation, in which he says the faith of the Government, pledged in treaty with foreign powers, exacted of it the painful duty of arresting Garibaldi, the acknowledged leader of the movement, in direct violation of these treaties.

FLORENCE, September 26.—It is said that the Italian Government has offered to send Garibaldi to his home at Caprera, or relieve him of all restraint, if he will give his parole not to engage in farther hostilities against the Roman States.

LONDON, September 26.—Intelligence from Hong Castle is of such a nature as to lead to fears of an attack on that place by the Fenians. Arms have been sent down to garrison it, and precaution taken to prevent any such mad attack.

NEW YORK, September 26.—12 m.—Gold opened at 42½ and has declined to 42¼. Cotton inactive and drooping. Quotations nominally unchanged. Exchange, lower, 60@[illegible]

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And also have a choice supply of the following articles:

1000 pieces Bagging of the Eagle, Ward & Todd brands.
300 whole and half coils Best Machine Rope.
100 bales Best Baling Twine.
500 barrels Flour, from T. Harrison down to Common Superfine.
100 casks Bacon, Clear Sides and Shoulders.
75 tierces Hams, sugar cured and plain.
150 barrels of Mess and Rump Pork.
300 kegs Best Leaf Lard.
500 packages Star Candles.
300 sacks Coffee, Choice Rio and Java.
40 hhds. Centrifugal and Porto Rico Sugar.
300 barrels Sugar, all grades.
Also, Soda, Molasses, Salt, Rice, etc.

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Notice to Cotton Shippers & Planters

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AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

Southeast Corner Water & Walnut Sts.,

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WE have removed our business from Nashville, Tenn., to this place, where we will continue the

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Our facilities are such, we propose to be able to make it the interest of planters and shippers to give us a liberal share of their patronage, which will always receive our prompt and careful attention.

We are prepared to make liberal advances on shipments, which are respectfully solicited. Our charges are as low as any reliable house. A. A. SPENCER & CO.,
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WE are now entering upon our twentieth year of business in Memphis, and the eleventh in New Orleans, and solicit a continuance of patronage from our friends and the public generally. Our house in New Orleans will, as heretofore, be under the management of WM. S. PICKETT, an old and experienced merchant in the New Orleans Cotton trade, and efforts to our customers the advantages of either market, as their interest or inclination may induce them to ship.

We keep always on hand a good supply of Groceries, Provisions, Bagging, Rope, Gum Bottles, Plantation and Family Supplies generally. se26

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Cotton & General Storage Warehouse

Old Stand, Court Street, near Bayou.

INSURANCE FURNISHED.

☞ Give us business. We can and WILL PLEASE YOU. se26

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Cotton Factors, General Commission AND PRODUCE MERCHANTS,

No. 210 Front Street, Memphis, Tennessee

☞ Liberal Advances made on Consignments. se26

We have a warehouse of our own in which we will handle all Cotton consigned to us, and WE GUARANTEE THERE SHALL BE NO UNNECESSARY LOSS IN WEIGHT, a THING WE HAVE HAD TO SUFFER TO SOMEWHAT. Bagging and Rope furnished our customers.

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Black, Cameron & Co.,

PRODUCE AND COMMISSION

MERCHANTS,

Charleston Avenue, Near M. & C. R. R. Depot, Memphis, Tenn.

CONSIGNMENTS solicited. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to our care, and orders for provender and plantation supplies filled at shortest notice and at lowest rates. All orders left at 322 Front street will be promptly attended se26

J. C. PAYNE, G. W. HUNTINGTON, H. M. PAYNE, W. H. DAMERON

PAYNE, HUNTINGTON & CO.,

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No. 52 Union Street, New Orleans.

Represented by General C. M. WILCOX.

D.K. LAWRENCE, Memphis. C. B. CARTER Late with Halliday Bro., Cairo.

LAWRENCE & CARTER,

General Commission & Forwarding

MERCHANTS,

228 Front Street, Memphis, Tenn.

E. M. APPERSON, O. V. RAMBAUT

E. M. APPERSON & CO.,

Cotton Factors, Grocers

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No. 238 1-2 Front and 6 Jefferson Streets,

MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

☞ A large supply of Plantation Supplies, Bagging, Rope, Iron Ties, etc., for sale to our customers on the usual terms. se12

JAMES D. RUFFIN, Desoto county, Miss. T. C. FINNEY, Memphis.

RUFFIN, FINNEY & CO.,

(Successors to Norment, Ruffin & Finney),

Cotton Factors

—AND—

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 15 Union Street,

(Up stairs in Lee Block—Rooms Nos. 11 and 12),

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PARTICULAR attention paid to the sale and storage of Cotton and other Produce consigned to us. Orders from the country will be promptly attended to.

J. H. CASH,

Cotton and Produce

FACTOR,

Commission & Forwarding Merchant

No. 226 Front Street, Memphis, Tenn.

H. FITZGERALD, Gallatin. C. C. BILL, Memphis. JOHN T. JEFFERSON Memphis.

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AGENTS FOR THE SALE OF

Cotton Yarns, Sheeting and Osnaburgs, Dupont's Gunpowder and Printing Paper,

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AGENTS for the sale of the PREMIUM COTTON GINS made by W. G. Clemson-Brown & Co., Columbus, Ga. Also, agents for the GREEN RIVER WOOLEN MILLS Henderson, Ky. Have on hand, for sale by piece or case, a fine assortment of Kentucky jeans.

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☞ Keep constantly on hand a large stock of Bagging, Rope and Iron Ties, Groceries and Plantation Supplies. se13

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ST. LOUIS, MO.

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STANLEY, KING & SMITH,

Cotton Factors

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

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J. W. A. JONES & CO.,

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☞ Prompt attention given to all consignments.

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☞ Consignments of Cotton, Tobacco and Grain solicited. Bagging, Rope and all Supplies furnished at the Lowest Rates. Liberal Cash advancements made on Cotton in store or in transit. No other legitimate rates charged for all business done. se6

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STRICT attention paid to the storage and sale of COTTON, and instructions regarding same strictly obeyed. Our facilities for the handling of Cotton are unsurpassed, and we invite special attention to this branch of our business, feeling assured of our ability to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor us with their patronage.

All shipments covered by our Open Policy of Insurance, unless otherwise instructed.

Our stock of BAGGING, ROPE, IRON TIES

WANTS.

WANTED—Active persons, male or female, wanted everywhere, local or traveling, to introduce a new invention, vitally essential to the sewing machine. The greatest invention of the age. This little article can be seen for a few days only, at room No. 6, Southern Hotel, County and State rights for sale. Reference to the leading business men of the country.
se27 W. E. BURR, Inventor.

WANTED—Any one, wanting good gardiners; farmers or planters wanting a good engineer or sawyer, or hands to pick cotton; carpenters, mill and wheel wrights, hotels wanting good cooks or pastry cooks (male or female, for city or country); also, stewards or white boys for waiters. I want twelve cooks washers and ironers (from $16 to $30 per month) for city and country; four chambermaids, two nurses and four scrubbers. Apply to WILLIAM DARDIS,
General Intelligence Office,
se26 7 Adams street.

WANTED—A good WAGON MAKER, to go to the country. Apply to O. C. SCONCE & CO.,
se25 No. 31 Jefferson street.

SITUATION WANTED—A Lady of Memphis desires situation, either in a public school or a private family as TEACHER. She can be commanded either in the city or country. The most satisfactory references can be given. Apply at the Avalanche office.

WANTED—Agents to sell the CRESCENT SEWING MACHINE. Price $25. Sewing Machine dealers will find it greatly to their interest to send for our terms. Ad'ss HART & INGRAM, 240 Second street, Memphis.

STOLEN.

$50 REWARD—Stolen from my premises, a medium sized dark SORREL MARE MULE, with a scar on her forehead, a white star on her left hip, newly shod on her fore feet. I will give the above reward for her delivery to me on Third street, between Gayoso and Beale streets.
se25 M. AKEN.

BOARDING.

BOARDING.—Two pleasant furnished, or unfurnished, front rooms; suitable for families or single gentlemen, can be had with board; also a limited number of Day Boarders on reasonable terms. Within two minutes walk of either Main or Beale street cars. Apply to
se10 MRS. R. K. BECKTEL,
No. 65 Linden street.

BOARDING—Families or single gentlemen can be accommodated with board and lodging in a desirable location, with furnished or unfurnished rooms; also, day boarders can be accommodated, at No. 394 Second street, between Gayoso and Beale.

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FOR RENT—A new brick DWELLING HOUSE, eight rooms, a good yard and plenty of water; within one square of street cars. Also, a splendid suite of family rooms, and a good store room on Jefferson street. Enquire of
A. W. WILKERSHAM,
Office on southeast corner of Jefferson and Third streets, up stairs.
se25

FOR RENT—Three story BRICK HOUSE, northwest corner of Washington and second streets, now occupied as a family grocery and boarding house. Up stairs will be rented separate if required. Apply to W. H. ALLEN,
se26 No. 136 Carroll avenue, or on the premises.

FOR RENT—TWO very desirable RESIDENCES. Rent low. Apply to W. H. ALLEN,
se21 45 J. H. Lowenstein & Bro.'s, 231 Main street.

FOR RENT—A nice and comfortable DWELLING, with eight rooms and necessary conveniences, on Jefferson street extended. Possession given on the 15th of October. For terms apply at 202½ Main street.
se21 R. WALLACE.

FOR RENT—FOUR HOUSES, well located and easily converted into small stores, with eight rooms above for families. Also, residences, offices and a spring room. Apply to
se22 R. C. BRINKLEY, 38 Madison street.

FOR SALE OR LEASE.

FOR SALE—Fifty fine, well broke Kentucky mules for sale at FORREST'S STABLE.
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FOR SALE—One third interest in Hale's Point, situated on the Mississippi river at the mouth of Obion river, Lauderdale county, Tenn.; contains about three hundred acres, one hundred and fifty acres cleared; cotton gin, crib, stables, warehouse, dwelling, kitchen and outhouses, all in good repair. It is one of the best shipping points between Cairo and Memphis, and is leased for the term of five years, from the 15th day of February last at thirty-six hundred ($3600) dollars per annum. I desire to sell one-third interest in the place to lease. Apply to W. P. SUGG, Dyersburg, Tenn., or to BURTON & PIERCE, on the premises.

FOR SALE—Part of Lot 58, fronting 23 feet on Chickasaw or Front street, running back 148½ feet to alley, with two story brick house on same. Terms, one-half cash, balance in twelve months with interest.
STOVALL & FLIPPIN,
se7 South Court street.

FOR SALE.—One twelve horse power STATIONARY ENGINE and boiler—nearly new.
LUNN & MALLON,
No. 204 Main street.

SPECIAL NOTICES, ETC.

THE Healing Pool and House of Mercy—Howard Association Hospital, for young men, to cure crime and infirmitude and the errors, abuses and diseases which destroy the manly powers, and create impediments to marriage, with sure means of relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia.
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HAVING qualified as administrator of the estate of Joe Lanza, deceased, all parties will present their claims authenticated according to law. Also, all parties indebted to said estate will please come and pay over to
se25 ANGELO LAURENZI, Administrator,
72 Charleston avenue.

NOTICE—I will pay no bills made by any one for and on account of the Steamer MYRTLE, without they hold MY WRITTEN ORDER.
se23 W. C. HARDWICK,
Captain and owner.

NOTICE—All persons having BAGGAGE at the Commercial Hotel will please call, pay the charges and take the baggage before October 1, or it will be sold.
se17 D. ATTERSON, Proprietor.

NOTICE—Notice is hereby given that I will apply at the October term of the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, for letters of administration on the estate of Thomas Wetherall, deceased. Parties interested can at that time attend if they see proper. JOSEPH CROSS.
KETCHUM, MORGAN & HITZFELD, Attorneys for applicant.
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NOTICE—I will apply at the October (1867) term of the County Court for letters of administration on the estate of Michael Murphy, deceased. MARY LEARY.
M. CROSS, JR., Attorney.
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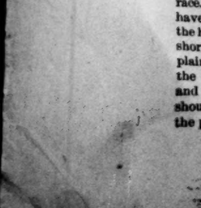
NOTICE.—I will apply at the October (1867) term of the County Court for letters of administration on the estate of L. C. H. Stanley, deceased.
se10 A. W. WILKERSHAM.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the firm of HICKS & SMITH was dissolved February 24, D. 1867, and that the undersigned has a deed of trust on the stable, stock and fixtures, to secure the sum of $267, and the said deed of trust against trading for said stock, etc., as the same is now in litigation.
se1 R. K. SMITH.

NOTICE—I shall apply to the County Court at the September term, 1867, for LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION on the estate of Dela-y Johnson, deceased.
McCOMBS, Jr. Attorney. JAMES JOHNSON.



FRIDAY, : : : : : : SEPTEMBER 27, 1867

In a recent speech at Nashville, Secretary FLETCHER denounced the Northern people, called them bummers and office seekers, and declared that the negroes were carrying things with such a high hand that they would soon have all the native whites of the State rebels, and the Unionists against them. Indeed! This is pretty talk for a man who has been hob-nobbing with the negroes of Tennessee for the last six months. So it seems the Radicals have raised a storm, but they cannot direct the whirlwind. It is the teachings of just such demagogues that have inspired the negro with the belief that he "could carry things with a high hand." It was the remark of General HARRISON that there was a striking contrast in the conduct of men before the election and after the election. A few weeks since Mr. FLETCHER regarded the negro as a political divinity, to be worshipped by the white race; now that he is snugly ensconced in a fat office he talks of their impertinence. Simply because the black man proposes to wield the power foisted upon him by the Radical party, and to make his voice heard in nominating candidates for their suffrages, he is told that he will soon have the native whites against him, both Radical and Conservative. Before the election the negro was the pipe to play on, but now he is to be cast aside as unceremoniously as if he were a squeezed lemon. If the negro at Nashville has shown presumption and arrogance, it has been taught him by just such leaders as FLETCHER, who have inflated him with the belief that he had nothing to do but to exercise the prerogative of freemen, control elections and elect whom he pleases. We are indeed surprised that the black man has not been more clamorous for office, for if he has the right to vote he has the correlative right to hold office. Does any sane man suppose the negro will be content merely to elect such white Radicals as FLETCHER to places of honor and profit, when they possess the power to elevate their own race. In the Southern States the whites have been disfranchised and power placed in the hands of an ignorant population; and in a short time, while Mr. FLETCHER is complaining of the arrogance of the blacks, the negro will be absolutely astounded and indignant that a white man should aspire to office when they have the power to do as they please. It will not be two years before every Southern State will be under negro rule—before all the offices will be filled by negroes! Will they not regard this country as their own? Will they not then pass discriminating laws, so offensive and onerous that the white man will be compelled to give the country up to them. They will not then care if "all the native whites of the State are against them," or that the Radicals have turned against them on account of their carrying things their own way Congress will have to get up another Military Reconstruction Bill, in order to secure to the poor white man the Constitutional rights which the negro has denied him. The black man cannot be used by white Radicals as a mere machine to vote them in office. Mr. FLETCHER has given the negro the power to take possession of Tennessee, and he should not complain if he should endeavor to exercise the power which has been placed in his hands. The Puritans once held a very enthusiastic meeting at which the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

1st *Resolved*, That this country belongs to the saints.

2d *Resolved*, That we are the saints.

Who knows but the negroes, since they have the power, will hold a Southern Convention and resolve, first, that the Southern States belong to the Africans, and, secondly, that we are the Africans? Their friend FLETCHER will then still have more cause to complain that the negro "is carrying things with a high hand."

FROM the news which we publish on our first page it will be seen that Mr. Mayor BROWN, of Nashville, formally gives notice of the purpose of the corporate authorities to resist force with force should BROWNLOW attempt to prevent the corporate election on next Saturday by the armed intervention of the "loyal militia." BROWNLOW'S "coward lips" already "from their color fly," for notwithstanding his vaunting boasts about his hen soldiers, and the expense he has imposed upon the taxpayers to support them, he quails at the first real demonstration of antagonism to their outlawry. He orders his General to call on General THOMAS for reinforcements, but as that officer receives his instructions from Washington, and as Tennessee is a State, and is not in a military district, it is to be seen whether the army of the United States is to be used to sustain the high handed measures of this meaner than despot, to violate the charter of the City of Nashville. The joint dispatch of General GRANT and President JOHNSON would seem to foreshadow a judicial instead of a forcible determination of the issue.

OUR readers will find in the local columns of the AVALANCHE of this morning, a communication from Mr. President WOODRUFF, of the Memphis and Ohio railroad, which we think will remunerate a careful and unprejudiced perusal. The facts which he develops, constitute a perfect vindication of the course of his administration in relieving the embarrassed condition of this great line of internal improvement. The public is to be congratulated upon the escape of this work from the clutches of the BROWNLOW dynasty, and we trust to be able to chronicle the defeat of efforts now being worked, to consign it to a management equally as odious, and as free from a regard for the interests of Memphis as that oligarchy.

THE NASHVILLE CRISIS.

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The Order of General Grant to General Thomas.

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Unabated Excitement and Apprehension.

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Two Thousand Extra Policemen to be Sworn.

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Special to the Louisville Courier.]

NASHVILLE, September 25.

The municipal muddle is, if possible, more complicated than ever, and both the State and municipal authorities are vigorously at work preparing for any contingency that may turn up.

THE PRESIDENT'S DISPATCH.

The following dispatch from President Johnson, inclosing instructions to General Thomas, was received by Mayor Brown to-day, and immediately brought out in extra form.

WASHINGTON, September 24.

His Honor W. Matt. Brown, Mayor of Nashville:

Your dispatch of this date has been received. The following instructions have been sent by General Grant to Major General Thomas, at Louisville, Kentucky:

GENERAL GRANT TO GENERAL THOMAS.

The Mayor, City Attorney, and President of the Common Council of Nashville express great fear of collision at the time of the charter election, the twenty-eighth (28th) instant. Go to Nashville tomorrow, to remain until after the election to preserve peace.

If you think more troops necessary for that purpose order them there from the most convenient point in your command. The military cannot set up to be the judges as to whose set of election judges have the right to control, but must confine their action to preventing or putting down hostile mobs. It is hoped, however, by seeing the Governor and city officials, here referred to, your presence and advice may prevent disturbance. Please keep me advised of the condition of affairs.

(Signed) U. S. GRANT.
ANDREW JOHNSON.

TWO ELECTIONS.

It will be seen that General Thomas is not allowed to decide who are the proper election judges and as General Cooper is still bent on preventing the city authorities from holding the election, and the latter are equally determined to conduct the election, the probabilities are that the militia will be brought in conflict with the regulars, except Brownlow decides to back down.

The citizens generally are pleased with General Grant's dispatch, as it is claimed that the Federal troops will not stand by and see the militia interfere with the election appointees of the city.

In the meantime General Cooper is hurrying forward his militia, while Mayor Brown is preparing to swear in a couple thousand extra police. General Thomas is expected in the city to-night.

BY TELEGRAPH

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MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

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FROM NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, September 26.

The intermittent fever for the twenty-four hours ending at six o'clock this morning numbered fifty-seven. Two hundred and fifty privates and seven officers are now under treatment for yellow fever at Jackson Barracks, in the First United States Infantry. The fever has been raging at the barracks and at the Military Hospital for upwards of one hundred days.

FROM CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, September 26.

The first race for two year olds (a dash of one mile) was won by General DIX. Time, 1:45½. The trial, mile heats, for all ages (mile dash), was won by Low Down. Time, 1:47¼. The third race, two mile heats for all ages, was won by Bayswater. Time 3:36 and 3:35.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, September 26.

Major General Sickles has gone to New York. Leave of absence will probably be granted him for several months. No decision has yet been made on his application for a court of inquiry.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, September 26.

Judge Blatchford, of the United States District Court, has delivered an important opinion on the subject of enlisting minors. He decides that the only power to discharge minors elisted as soldiers is vested in the Secretary of War.

The following vessels are off the Irish coast: Bark Plato and Pride of Erin, with a party of scientific and military gentlemen, ordered to make a survey of the coast and ascertain the most available inlets for landing in Ireland. These vessels made a former trip to Ireland.

FROM NASHVILLE.

NASHVILLE, September 26.

General Thomas arrived last night. He conferred to-day with the city and State authorities, but took no decisive action. He requested an interview with both parties together, at three p. m. to-morrow, when his course will be resolved upon.

The feverish state of the public mind was increased by rumors that General Thomas will interdict the election. The public feeling is also intensified by the report that General Cooper, in a speech last night to a mixed crowd of negroes and whites within a closed door, said there were three ways to meet the present emergency, to wit: By *bullets, by bayonets or by ostracism.* It is reported to-night, in Conservative quarters, that the grand jury is investigating the matter, and will indict Cooper if the proof is sufficient. Cooper's friends deny the correctness of the report, whilst Conservatives say it will be substantiated.

Governor Brownlow is expected from Knoxville to-morrow. The developments of to-morrow are looked for with great interest.

FROM HAVANA.

HAVANA, September 26.

The last mail from Madrid brought the abrogation of the new and orders for the restoration of the old system of taxation, as General MORIANA had prepared to save the government.

FROM PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, September 26.

General Phil. Sheridan was again hooted to-day. This time he received a formal reception. He made an address of thanks but did not commit himself. He shook hands for a considerable time.

FROM LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, September 26.

The river is falling, with twenty-four inches of water in the canal.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 26.

The Russian Fur Company have transferred their business to a San Francisco company in consideration of $600,000. Two companies, under General Jeff. C. Davis, have sailed for Alaska. A considerable number of mechanics, with building materials, have also gone there.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, September 26.

Cotton dull and drooping; sales 150c bales; uplands, 29c. Flour, dull and drooping; $7 bags 00 for superfine. State western whisky quiet and unchanged. Wheat, a shade firmer, Ohio better; $2 30@2 32 for No. 2 spring. Rye, firm, $1 40 western. Corn, heavy, active, to low grades, $1 @2 01 mixed western. Oats active and firm, 74@75c, Ohio and Chicago. Rice dull. Coffee quiet. Sugar steady; Cuba 11@12. Molasses dull. Pork firmer; $23 90 for mess, Lard steady, 18¾@19¼c for bbls.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, September 26.

Dry goods well sustained. Money received and firmer; 6 on call. Sterling quiet, 9½@9¾. Gold 43¾. Government stocks a shade easier; coupons 1862, 113½; do 1865, 109½; 10-40's, 99½; 7-30's 106¾. Sales government stocks to-day at $1,000,000. Government now employs several gold brokers, and sales of coin are larger than generally supposed. Receipts of customs to-day $606,000. Currency shipped west yesterday $60,000, stocks strong; Adam's Express co., 61½; Merchants Union, 91; Erie, 69@69½; Illinois central 121@122. Receipts sub-treasury $5,031,522; payments $2,431,684; balance $117,000,000.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, September 26.

Flour firm; full rates maintained; extra, $9 75@10 25; family, $10 75@11 25. Wheat, quiet and unchanged; No. 2 winter, $2 46. Corn, dull, $1 06. Oats, dull but easier; 70c. Rye, firm, $1 35. Barley unchanged. Cotton dull and lower, nominal; middlings, 26½c. Provisions unchanged. Lard 18½. Bacon held at 14, 16, 17@18½; no hams in market. Potatoes firm, $2 @2 50. Groceries firm.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, September 26.

Tobacco active; lugs and common leaf unchanged; other qualities unchanged. Cotton and hemp nothing doing. Flour inactive; choice superfine, $7 50; extra, $8 @8 75; double extra, $9 @9 50; family extra, $11 @12; fancy, $13 @14 00. Wheat firm. Corn @ light 78. Oats, dull and declined, 62@63c. Barley quiet, $1 30 @1 35 for spring. Rye, more active, $1 @1 03. Provisions dull. Pork nominally unchanged. Bacon drooping; clear sides, 18½c; sugar cured hams, 24c. Whisky, no sales.

LOUISVILLE MARKET.

LOUISVILLE, September 26.

Tobacco firmer; sales of 73 hhds at 4@8½. Flour dull; superfine, $7 75; No. 1, $11. Wheat, $2 30. Corn, shelled, $1 15; ear, bulk, $1 @1 05. Oats, scarce, $1 @1 02; sacked, 75@80c. Rye, 81@85c. Bacon, shoulders, 14½c; clear sides, 18½c; packed. Lard, tierces, 18½c. Whisky, in bond, 35c.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

NEW ORLEANS, September 26.

Cotton easier; sales of 150 bales low middling at 26c; receipts, 41 bales. Flour quiet and firm; superfine, $10; choice extra, $12@13 50. Corn in good demand with an upward tendency; white, $1 @1 05. Oats scarce at 80c. Pork quiet and firm at $28 75@27. Bacon—retailing at 15½c for shoulders, 19½c for clear sides and 20½c for sugar cured hams. Lard firm; prime in tierces, 14½@15c. Gold, 44c. Sterling, 50@53. New York sight, ¾c premium.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The friends and acquaintances of Louis Lagomarsino are respectfully invited to attend the funeral of his brother, JOHN, from his residence, No. 388 Main street, this (Friday) afternoon, at three o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.

Lessee and Manager.....W. C. THOMPSON
Stage Manager.....SHIRLEY H. FRANCE
Treasurer.....C. D. STRINKUHL

Last night but one—Benefit of Miss BELLE BOYD—A great bill—Two glorious pieces.

FRIDAY EVENING, September 27, 1867, will be presented the HORSE WHISPER. Julian—Miss Belle Boyd. Selections by Orchestra. The performance will conclude with FAINT HEART NEVER WON FAIR LADY. Duchess—Miss Belle Boyd.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. C. JOSLIN, R. J. MENEFEE, J. W. DUNKLEE

BURNET HOUSE

Northwest Corner of Vine and Third Streets,

CINCINNATI, OHIO.

A. C. JOSLIN & CO., Proprietors.

FALL AND WINTER GOODS

POWER & McGEOY,

MERCHANT TAILORS

238 Second Street.

Are just receiving their stock of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

Cloths, Over Coatings, Cassimeres.

Doeskins and Vestings, of Latest Styles.

Which we will make to order at reduced prices. Call and examine our goods and prices and be convinced.
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Partnership Notice.

WILLIAM E. MATHES having this day purchased the interest of Wm. H. Turley in our house, he succeeds to that interest and Mr. Turley retires.
JO. RANFILL & CO.
September 25, 1867. se27

H. C. McDowell vs. H. S. Lee. Before S. A. Moore, Justice of the Peace.

THE plaintiff, on affidavit that the defendant is indebted to him, and under section 1040 of the Code of Tennessee, having obtained from S. A. Moore, J. P., an original attachment against the estate of the defendant, returnable before S. A. Moore, Justice of the Peace, and the same having been levied on defendant's property, it is ordered that said defendant appear before said Justice at his office in the city of Memphis on the 1st day of November, 1867, at 10 o'clock, a.m., to defend said attachment suit, or it will be proceeded with ex parte; it is further ordered that this notice be published in the Daily Avalanche for four consecutive weeks.
se27 S. A. MOORE, J. P.

Dissolution.

THE firm heretofore existing under style of GALLAWAY, HAMPTON & CO has been dissolved by mutual consent. The old business will be settled up by the new firm, who assume all liabilities, and to whom all persons indebted will make payment.
M. C. GALLAWAY,
W. H. HAMPTON,
H. HAMPTON,
M. W. CLUSKEY.

New Firm.

THE partnership heretofore existing between Gallaway, Hampton & Co has been dissolved by the purchase of Henry Hampton's interest, the AVALANCHE will in the future be published under the firm and style of GALLAWAY, RHEA & CLUSKEY. Having assumed all liabilities of the late firm, Mr. Hampton's interest, it is important that the old business be closed, and for that purpose we will be compelled to enforce collections.
M. C. GALLAWAY,
W. H. RHEA,
M. W. CLUSKEY.
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Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, in the name and style of PAUL GOODLOE & CO., New Orleans, and GOODLOE & IRBELL, of Memphis, Tennessee, as Storage Dealers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and our books, papers and accounts are in the hands of Paul Goodloe, who alone is authorized to collect all dues and pay all debts against the above name of firm.
PAUL GOODLOE,
G. W. IRBELL.
MEMPHIS, TENN., Sept. 26, 1867.

PAUL GOODLOE will continue in the stave business.
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DISSOLUTION.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of CRAWFORD & LOFLAND, is this day mutually dissolved; Arthur Crawford taking possession of all assets and assuming all liabilities.
ARTHUR CRAWFORD,
CHARLES LOFLAND.
MEMPHIS, Sept. 25, 1867.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Academy of the Visitation, B. V. M.

THE session of the Academy of the Visitation, B. V. M., at Alexandria, Washington county, Virginia, will commence on MONDAY, September 16th, 1867, under the charge of the SISTERS of the VISITATION, B. V. M.

The terms of the school will be made to conform, as far as possible, to the straightened circumstances of the people.

TERMS PAYABLE PER HALF SESSION IN ADVANCE.

Board, Tuition in all the English branches, fuel, lights, washing and mending, per session of ten months..... $150 00.

EXTRA TERMS PER DAY SCHOLARS.

Tuition in all the English branches per session of ten months, in Academic Department:

First Class	$40 00
Second Class	30 00
Third and Fourth Class	20 00
PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.	
First Class	$20 00
Second Class	14 00
EXTRA CHARGES.	
Music on Piano—per session	$40 00
" Harp "	60 00
" Guitar "	40 00
French, German or Italian	20 00
Painting in Oil Colors	20 00
Drawing	14 00
Painting in Water Colors	10 00
Embroidery	8 00
Flower-making—paper or muslin, (with materials)	10 00

ADDRESS—ACADEMY OF THE VISITATION, B. V. M., Abingdon, Virginia.
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No. 1395, N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—John Cubbins et al., of the firm of Cubbins & Gunn, vs. James R. Doyle, John Wylie and P. R. Thompson.

IT appearing from the return of the sheriff on the leading process in this cause that the defendant, P. R. Thompson, is not to be found, it is therefore ordered that he make his appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on the first Monday in November, 1867, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him, and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.
A copy—Attest. AUGUSTUS ALSTON,
Clerk and Master.
BEECHER & BELCHER, Solicitors for Comp't.
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HALLER, FISHER & CO.,

Grocers, Cotton Factors & Commission

MERCHANTS,

No. 40 Madison Street, De Soto Block.

MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

WE thank our friends for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to us, and will use every exertion to merit a continuance of the same by constant efforts to promote the interest of those who intrust us with their business.

Our facilities for handling and selling cotton are equal to any in the city.

We have on hand and will furnish at the lowest market rates Bagging, Rope, Ties and Plantation Supplies generally.

Orders respecting sale of Cotton strictly obeyed. All Cotton consigned to us insured unless otherwise instructed.

HALLER, FISHER & CO.

Mr. A. Sadler, formerly of De Soto county, Mississippi, is still with us, and will be pleased to see his friends or receive their orders at No. 40, Mr. F. T. Johnson formerly with J. H. Wood & Co., Memphis.
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TITUS & CO.,

COTTON FACTORS

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 10 Jefferson Street,

MEMPHIS, TENN.

WE respectfully solicit a share of the business of the planters of the South. We thank our former customers for their patronage, and would be pleased to have them continue business with us. Our charges are the same as heretofore. All Cotton consigned to us will be insured unless otherwise instructed.
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Dissolution of Copartnership.

BY mutual consent, Mr. Jacob Hoffheimer has withdrawn from the house of N. & J. HOFFHEIMER, taking effect from September 9, 1867. All debts due the late firm should be paid to the undersigned, and all the liabilities of the late firm assumed by them. The business will be continued as heretofore, at 276 Front street, under the style of
N. & J. HOFFHEIMER.
se22 NATHAN HOFFHEIMER & CO.

A Card.

WE will at once rebuild our warehouse, and will have it completed by the first of September, but by the first day of that month we will be ready to receive goods on store.

The sheds will be divided into fire proof compartments by brick walls, and covered with tin. Those who have patronized us for the last two seasons, and those who may have proposed to do so the approaching one, may rest assured we will be ready for them.

We design establishing a Cotton Compress in connection with our warehouse, upon an adjacent lot, which will be ready by the 1st of October or sooner. The proximity of our establishment to the river renders the handling of cotton so convenient that we can transfer cotton for shipment by river free of drayage. The advantage of the position is equal to one drayage on the cotton sent for compression, from other warehouses, while an all cotton in our warehouse for compressment there can be two drayages saved, since it would be as easy for us to transfer it from our shed to the Compress as to turn it out in the ordinary way for transfer by drays.

J. R. CHRISTIAN & CO.

SAMPLE, MITCHELL & McCAULEY,

COTTON FACTORS

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 13 Union Street, Up Stairs,

R. E. Lee Block, MEMPHIS, TENN.
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QUICK TIME.

BY THE

NEW ROUTE TO NASHVILLE

Memphis and Ohio, and Nashville and Northwestern Railroads, via McKenzie.

Commencing Monday, Sept. 23.

TRAINS for Nashville will leave Depot head of Main street as follows:

Evening Express leave Memphis at 4:30 p.m., and arrives at Nashville at 7:00 a.m. next day. This train arrives at Nashville

Seven Hours and Five Minutes

in advance of Evening Train from Memphis by any other route.

Night Express leaves Memphis at 11:00 p.m., and arrives at Nashville at 4:00 p.m. next day.

This route is

Seventy-Eight Miles Shorter

To Nashville than via Decatur.

FARE REDUCED TO $12,00.

Through tickets via Nashville to

Chattanooga, Knoxville, Atlanta, and all Principal Points in Georgia, Alabama and the Carolinas.

Fare as Low as by any Other Route.

Through Tickets and all information can be obtained at No. 275 Main street, and at the Depot, Head of Main street.
M. GRIDLEY, Ticket Agent.
SAM. R. JONES, Gen'l Sup't.

OMNIBUSES of Memphis City Transfer Company call at all the principal Hotels before the departure of trains, and Check Baggage to all points. By leaving order at Ticket Office, 275 Main street, will call at any part of the city or steamboat landing.
JOHN H. JONES,
Sup't M. C. T. Co.
September 25, 1867. se22

ELSON'S

MAMMOTH CHEAP STORE,

297 Main Street.

THE last of our retail stock is now being disposed of rapidly. On the FIRST OF NOVEMBER we shall change our business into an

Exclusive Wholesale Business,

And till then we offer the balance of our

Shelf and Cut Goods

—AT—

LESS THAN HALF PRICE!

In order to insure its more speedy sale, as we MUST have the room for the arrangement of our Wholesale Stock.

SAVE MONEY WHILE YOU CAN,

And remember this is an opportunity that does not occur once in a life time to get your

Dry Goods

At Less Than One-Half What they are Worth.

GENTS' CLOTHING,

For Fall, Winter and Summer.

MUST POSITIVELY BE SOLD,

As we intend discontinuing this branch of our business.

Ladies' and Children's Shoes at Less than Half-Price.

As we have not a large stock of these Goods on hand, those interested will do well by calling early, as they must be sold, and our motto is, First Come First Served.

We Mean What we Say, and Say What we Mean.

Our entire retail stock must be sold, and we shall not hesitate at any sacrifice to effect our object. Our circumstances to sell are imperative.
ELSON BROS.
se22 297 Main street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. K. HILL, STRANGE & CO.,

Cotton Factors

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

DEALERS IN BAGGING, TIES

And Plantation Supplies Generally,

No. 14 Monroe Street, Memphis.

Liberal advances made on consignments to DICKMAN, HILL & CO., New Orleans.

AUCTION.

Mule and Dray at Auction.

BY A. S. LEVY & CO.

THIS MORNING, at ten o'clock, in front of store—

One Fine Mule,
One Dray,
One set of Harness.

Also, Furniture of all descriptions.
se27 A. S. LEVY, Auctioneer.

By W. H. PASSMORE & CO.,

THIS MORNING,

HANDSOME Bedroom Sets, Brussels and other Carpets, Parlor Furniture, etc.; also, a large lot of Crockery Ware.
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BY W. H. PASSMORE & CO.

THIS MORNING,

THIRTY-FIVE BALES OF HAY.
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Extensive Sale

OF

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES AND PIANOS.

WE will sell at our Salesroom on TUESDAY, October 1, TEN CARRIAGES AND BUGGIES, slightly worn, but in good condition, and SIX OR EIGHT PIANOS, some of them from the most approved factories. A rare opportunity of procuring such articles at a low price.
se13 ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO., Auctioneers.

The Buntyn Tract at Public Sale.

DESIROUS of carrying out as speedily as possible the provisions of the Will of G. Buntyn, deceased, in the disposal of his Homestead Tract, WE WILL OFFER AT PUBLIC SALE the remaining portion of the Tract, consisting of about

SEVENTY-FIVE LOTS,

Varying from two to ten acres in size, embracing with the lot of lands all the wood land lots on the Tract.

The high reputation for fine health which this locality enjoys, and the rapid improvements in the direction of this city by railway or dirt road, give to these lands advantages which cannot be surpassed to the business men of Memphis, as a cheap, convenient and pleasant location for the erection of their family residences, combining so fully the advantages of both to be understood, and all the liabilities to avoid in them. The business will be continued as heretofore, at 276 Front street, under the style of
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J. R. CHRISTIAN & CO.

Auction Sales by Miles & Stoddard.

SALES EVERY DAY at ten o'clock. Special attention given to sales at residences. We solicit sales for Executors, Administrators, Trustees, and in all cases will make prompt returns.

Our references are what we have done for our patrons.

A. M. STODDARD,
se17 Formerly with W. H. Passmore & Co.'s. Auctioneers.

Notice.

OUR charges hereafter on sales of Furniture and Merchandise in general, at auction, will be as heretofore, with commissions.
W. H. PASSMORE & CO.
No. 20 Second street.

R. VAN BROCKLIN,

General Auctioneer, No. 39 1-2 Madison St., Memphis.

STOCK SALES DAILY. GOOD STABLE AND FINE MULE YARD. Now on hand, Second-hand Goods of all descriptions. Liberal advances on all property left for sale, and prompt returns made.
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Public Sale

OF

300 ACRES SUBURBAN LAND

ON TEN YEARS' CREDIT.

I PROPOSE to sell at public sale, to the highest bidder on THURSDAY, the 14th of November, 1867, about three hundred acres Fairfield and Forest Land, on my Homestead Tract, situated three miles east of Memphis, at the head of Union avenue, and lying between Central avenue and the old Union road. The line of the popular street pavements is being now in process of construction in Memphis, good turnpikes or street railways on the roads leading from the city directly through this property, must soon follow, thereby affording the most reasonable probability of its grand and rapid enhancement of value.

In stating the advantages of this property, I would specially refer to the HEALTH of the locality as having been always considered equal if not superior to that of any portion of the city environs; while the high character of the neighborhood, and the provision made for CHURCH AND SCHOOL PRIVILEGES, combine to render it one of the most desirable points for suburban residences which the vicinity of Memphis affords.

The TITLE to this property has been vested in my father and myself for thirty years without interruption, and is free from any incumbrance.

THE SUBDIVISION OF THE GROUNDS will be in lots of about five Acres, according to plans to be seen at the office of the undersigned. The avenues will be opened and the lots numbered so as to be readily examined before the day of sale.

BEING DETERMINED TO SELL, I shall offer the following liberal

TERMS:

One-tenth Cash, the balance in TEN ANNUAL INSTALMENTS, with interest from date. Warranty Deeds given, and Trust Deeds taken, waiving redemption. These terms will make it very easy for any one to secure a pleasant Home, which must constantly increase in value and comfort, as the growth of Memmphis continues.
N. M. TREZEVANT.
se17 ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO., Auctioneers.

STATEMENT OF THE

ASTOR FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF NEW YORK,

MADE in pursuance of Statute of the State of Tennessee, on the FIRST DAY OF JUNE, 1867:

1. The name of said Company is the ASTOR FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, located at New York City.
2. The amount of its Capital Stock is TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.
3. The amount of said Capital Stock paid in is Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars.
4. The Assets of the Company are as follows:

A. The amount of cash on hand	$ 2,922 49	
B. Government bonds owned by the Company, par value	198,000 00	
C. Loans on bond and mortgage and other collaterals, worth double the am't loaned, at par value	125,275 00	
D. Premiums unpaid and considered good	13,250 79	
E. Interest accrued and not due	6,446 99	
F. Other assets	600 00	
Total assets		$326,562 27

5. The liabilities are as follows:

A. Losses unpaid, being not yet due	14,561 27	
B. Losses reported	9,325 00	
C. All other claims against the Company		23,886 27
Net assets		$302,676 00

ROBERT D. HART, President.
JAS. TERRANCE, Secretary.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

State of New York, City and County of New York, ss.

Be it remembered, that on this 8th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, before me the undersigned, Edwin F. Cuney, a Commissioner, residents in the city of New York, duly commissioned by the Governor of the State of Tennessee to take the acknowledgment of deeds, etc., to be used on record therein, personally appeared Robert D. Hart, President, and James Terrance, Secretary, of the Astor Fire Insurance Company of the city of New York, who being by me severally and duly sworn on deposes and say that the matters and things as set forth in the annexed statement by them subscribed are true to the best of their knowledge and belief; and I also certify that I have examined the affairs of the said company, and that I am satisfied by such examination that said company is the owner of bonds and mortgages on good property in the city

THE DAILY AVALANCHE

FRIDAY, : : : : : : : SEPTEMBER 27, 1867

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Through Express Daily	10:35 P.M.	6:00 A.M.
Through Mail Daily	1:00 P.M.	6:15 P.M
Somnerville Accommodation Daily, (Sundays excepted)	7:35 A.M.	3:30 P.M

Ticket office, 279 Main, corner of south Court street.

MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
New Orleans Express	2:40 A.M.	10:30 A.M
New Orleans Mail	5:45 P.M.	6:00 P.M
Freight daily, except Sunday	3:00 P.M.	4:00 A.M

MEMPHIS AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Day Express	10:45 A.M.	4:00 P.M.
Night Express	4:00 P.M.	11:00 P.M.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Our city patrons are requested not to pay any one for subscriptions to the AVALANCHE without a certificate from the office authorizing them to collect.

GALLAWAY, RHEA & CLUSKEY.

"A Merchant" will receive attention to-morrow.

William Steward was committed to jail yesterday by Justice Black on a charge of grand larceny.

POSTPONED.—The argument in the Milliken case has been postponed until Saturday by general concurrence.

FINED.—Henry Holmes, colored, was fined $15 for striking a colored shade with a brickbat. A female was at the bottom of it.

HORSE STEALING.—John Bailey, who, some time since stole a horse and buggy from J. ase Forrest, forfeited his bond yesterday, and was again arrested and is now in jail.

PERSONAL.—We received a call yesterday from James H. Carpenter, agent of the Connecticut Life Insurance Company, a company which he suitably represents.

THANKS.—To Messrs. Chambers, Cain & Co. for a first class reporter's note book. It is well made, and as an evidence of their skill in bindery and blank book plate first class.

MACKERELS. — Pelie Leping and [illegible] tropical-mackerels, were arrested by officer Brown yesterday had in their possession some new hats, and [illegible] they were stolen. They were held for [illegible] Overton [illegible]

FIRE.—On Monday night a grocery [illegible] Lafayette station, on the Charleston railroad, [illegible] was consumed. It is supposed to have been set on fire. The building and stock were insured in the Planters', of this city, for $2,000.

FOR THE SEAT OF WAR.—One hundred and seventy-five regulars started for Nashville last evening, and the Brownlow melish for some time stationed at Jack on, left yesterday for the same place. Things are growing interesting at the State capital.

A PLEASING INCIDENT.—"Squire Miller was yesterday the recipient, from a grateful client, of a magnificent silver goblet as a slight enfinastion of his legal acumen, as established in defense of her interests.

BURGLARY.—The house of Mr. Wells, No. 126 Pontotoc street, was entered by burglars night before last. Mrs. Wells was aroused by the noise made, and immediately gave the alarms and the thief or thieves as quickly decamped, but he s till stuck to his plunder.

MOST COMPIMENTARY.—At the suggestion of Dr. Kellar, the efficient surgeon in charge of the City Hospital, Drs. FRANK Rice and R. W. AVENT have been appointed by Mayor Lofland as consulting surgeons at the hospital. No more worthy or efficient selection could have been made.

ACCIDENT. — Yesterday afternoon a man attempted to leave the Somerville train while in motion. The consequence was, his head came in contact with the ground or a tie, and injured his head so badly that he became insensible. He was cared for by his wife.

HORSE STEALING.—Lewis Romminy stole three horses from the stable of Mrs. Sam. Tate, on Wednesday night, wh ch were recovered by Detective Morrison yesterday. The horses were found in his possession, and he was committed by Squire Miller for a final hearing on Saturday next.

BURNETT HOUSE, CINCINNATI.—This well known hotel has been recently purchased by A. C. Joslin & Co., who have repaired and refurnished it thoroughly. They intend keeping the Burnett House, as it always has been, a first class house, and we advise our readers visiting Cincinnati to give them a call.

THE MEMPHIS AND OHIO RAILROAD.—The arrangement between this road and the Louisville and Nashville went into effect on yes.erday. Colonel Wm. D. Pickett was chosen Chief Engineer, and Sam. Jones, the old superintendent, was continued in the office, which he has so long and so efficiently filled. We congratulate the public upon this judicious selection of officers. The other officers remain as heretofore.

Negro, Negro, Negro, by Ariel, at Emmons & Son, No. 10 Jefferson and 33 Main street; also received New York Ledger, Chimney Corner, Literary Album, Boston Pilot, Banner of Light, La Crosse Democrat, Sunday Times, Every Saturday for September, Atlantic Monthly and Galaxy for October, and dailies from every where. London Art Journal for S ptember. Call and get a copy.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—At a meeting of Shelby Division No. 45 Sons of Temperance, held in their hall, corner Court and Main streets, last night, the following officers were elected: Carry G. Strong, W. P.; James H. Sullivan, W. A.; C. A. Durant, R. S.; Jno. F. Titus, A. R. S.; Lewis Daltroff, F. S.; O. H. Coghlan, Treasurer; R. C. Barbour, Chaplain; Lewis Levy, Conductor; Jno. W. Brown, A. C.; Edwin Miles, I. S.; Lewis Buhler, O. S.; Charles Coffin, P. W. P.

GOOD CORN.—Messrs. G. C. Boone & Co. showed us yest-rday a specimen of white corn that we scarcely ever saw excelled. The seed approached near half an inch in length. It was raised in Haywood county, and will do to send to Illinois as a specimen of Tennessee corn. This firm have an invoice of seventy-five sacks of it.

A MODEL CONDUCTOR.—We formed the acquaintance, yesterday, of R. S. Burrus, the time-honored conductor of the freight accommodation train. He has been on this road since 1853 (except during the period in which he lent his best energies to the success of the lost cause), and has never yet had a fatal accident occur upon his train. We challenge the country for such a record.

The case of J. B. Smith vs. Crenshaw came up the day before yesterday, in the Circuit Court. We happened in the court room during the delivery of the speech of Colonel Orville Yerger, engaged for the defense, and if we ever heard forcible logic and telling eloquence, both dropped from his lips on more than one occasion during the course of his argument. Colonel Yerger and his friends may well feel proud of an effort that places him in the front rank of lawyers in this State.

Ed. Worsham, the indefatigable, in the AVALANCHE building, has on his counters all the fashion magazines for October, Godey's Lady's, Leslie's Lady's, and Madame Demorest Monthly. Also, the delightful Chimney Corner, Round Table, and German, French, English, Irish and Italian weeklies, with the principal daily papers of New York, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, Louisville. His stock of stationery is unequalled, and his base balls are those which are played with by all the crack clubs of the country.

PERSONAL.—We had the pleasure of meeting, on yesterday, our old fellow citizen Colonel Wm. D. Pickett, the gentlemanly and civil engineer, who, from the beginning to the end of the big war, did gallant and useful service to the Lost Cause.

We also had the pleasure of meeting Ex-Chancellor Jones of Fayette, who is in the city on profe sional bus ness.

UNITED STATES COURT.—The argument in the case of Alexander vs. Fitzpatrick did not conclude on yesterday but will to day.

Judge Trigg, in chambers, last evening heard the conclusion of Colonel McRae's argument in the case of Dean vs. The Gayoso Gas Company et al. Colonel Morgan speaks next in behalf of the city, and he will be followed by Judge T. W. Brown and H. Croft, Esq., for the New Gas Company. Several days will be consumed in the discussion for and against granting the injunction prayed for.

SHELBY COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.—The jury in the case of Smith vs. Crenshaw have not as yet been able to agree upon a verdict.

The State docket was taken up on yesterday and one case was tried. P. H. Nooks was found guilty of wife whipping and sentenced to pay a fine of fifty dollars, and to be imprisoned in the county jail for thirty days. The counsel for the prisoner made an eloquent appeal in favor of conjugal castigation and the right of the husband to whip his wife, but the jury seemed, for some cause or other, to differ with the learned counsel, and found the verdict above mentioned. The calling of the State docket will be continued to-day.

NOT WELL DRESSED.—John Delany is black, but that, he thought, was no reason why he should not have good clothes. He was too much of a colored gentleman to work for them, set them by begging he could not, so he needs must steal them. He did so, and at the same time he helped himself to a sum of money that was laying round loose. He was, however, unfortunately for him, spotted while in the harness on, and he rather reluctantly made his escape before 'squire Miller yesterday morning, who requested him to furnish a thousand dollar bond to insure him paying his respects to Judge Hunter. He could not do it, and sorrowfully he went to jail.

THE GRAND DISTRIBUTION.—The first grand distribution of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society took place at Vicksburg on the 18th, when the following numbers drew prizes: 203, 253, 1260, 3477, 4913, 4980, 6686, 6758, 6879, 6945, 7275, 7498, 7704, 8080, 7822 and 8020. We would call the attention of our readers to the fact that, at the second distribution, to come off on the 18th of October, while the premiums increase from one to ten, and the amount from $20,000 to $25,000, the number of certificates in the whole is reduced from 9'00 to 8000, thus increasing the amount and number of premiums, and diminishing the chances against holders of certificates. We know of no scheme which promises more chances of a return of the small amount invested.

ACADEMY OF THE VISITATION, B. V. M.—This admirable scholastic institution, situated at Abingdon, Washington county, in the "Old Dominion," under the supervision of the Sisters of the Visitation, is one of the very best colleges for young ladies in the Southern States. A glance at its advertisements in another column will convince parents who are desirous of bringing up their daughters in a way worthy of the mission of gentlewomen, that at this academy everything which tends to refine the manners and cultivate the understanding can be acquired on the easiest terms. The good situation, in view of the recent disast rs which have befallen the once proud and opulent people of this section of country, makes known that they will receive pupils at the lowest rates possible to maintain a first class seminary, from which none but the most refined ladies can come forth.

THE MEMPHIS AND OHIO RAILROAD.

A Resume of Its Affairs—A Communication from President Woodruff.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: I learn a number of communications have appeared in a city paper, during my absence from the city, commenting on the management of the Memphis and Ohio Railroad Company, and particularly that part of it whereby the Company paid the interest due the State of Tennessee on bonds loaned to the Company.

I believe a few plain facts from me in reference to the same will put be considered amiss.

It is well known to the stockholders of the Company, and the citizens of Memphis, that the Memphis and Ohio Railroad Company was reorganized under very embarrassing circumstances. The new Board of Directors found the road burdened with a very large debt past due, without a locomotive or car of any kind; without a piece of machinery, or tools to commence work; without a workshop or depot house at Memphis; all the bridges and trestles destroyed, and cross ties so much decayed as to be wholly unfit for use—nothing left but a washed and gullied road bed and the iron rail on the same, and not one dollar in the treasury.

Under these circumstances, but two plans presented themselves. One was to abandon the road, when all would be lost. The other was to go forward and rebuild the road, and by so doing develop the country, afford facilities for the people to travel, and eventually save something to the stockholders; which could only be done by incurring debts, to be paid out of the future earnings of the road.

The Directors adopted the latter plan, and went forward, rebuilt and equipped the road, and now have the same in good running order.

In doing this they were compelled to incur debts which they promised should be paid out of the future earnings of the road, and they were unwilling to see the road pass under the control of any one whereby the men that loaned the money, the mechanics and planters that furnished the supplies, and the mechanics and laborers that did the work of rebuilding the road should lose one dollar by the company. My first knowledge of any opposition to the road, was about the 9th day of last August, when Mr. J. M. Tomeny called at my office, and informed me he was about to join a party that would commence a warfare against the road, and he would advise me as a friend to draw out what money was due me by the company, and pay what paper I had indorsed for the company, or I would lose it. I replied, so long as the mechanics and laborers were clamoring for their pay, I could not have the heart to draw out my money and let them suffer. He answered if I was so charitable as that, he would advise me to draw out my money and present it to the workmen, when I would get the credit for it. The party sent some of their party into Henry, Gibson and Carroll counties to write and make speeches and to manufacture and get up opposition to the management of the road. They also commenced their warfare in one of the newspapers of this city. I soon learned that a petition was forwarded to Governor Brownlow requesting him to appoint J. M. Tomeny Receiver for the road, and I met F. S. Richards at Chattanooga, as he was returning from the Governor's, where he had been urging his own appointment as Superintendent. He also, very kindly advised me to draw out what money was due me by the company, or I would lose it. This company is indebted about three hundred thousand dollars to the citizens of Memphis and along the line of the road for money loaned, labor and supplies furnished, and for labor in rebuilding the road, which would have been lost to them if the Directors had permitted the road to pass into the control of the State. I offered to resign my position as President of the company, or would give them possession of the road if they would give me assurance these debts would be paid, which they declined doing.

I leave the public to judge of the motives that induced this party (who have refused to aid the road or contribute one dollar to the rebuilding of the same) to urge the Governor to seize the road and place them in possession of the same.

In order to protect the creditors and stockholders of the road, the Directors authorized a lease of the road to the Louisville and Nashville railroad Company for a term of ten years, (not ninety-nine years as so often stated in one of the city papers) they to assume the payment of all amounts due to the State of Tennessee; to fulfil our contracts with the merchants of West Tennessee; to equip and operate the road as a first class road, and so soon as the net earnings exceed the current expenses and the amount due to the State, to pay the same over to the Memphis and Ohio Railroad Company, and re-urn the road in good order to the stockholders at the expiration of the lease.

A proviso in the lease gives the stockholders the right to consolidate with them at any time they may elect. By this lease the directors have secured the payment of three hundred thousand dollars to the citizens of West Tennessee. They have secured the prompt payment of interest and sinking fund due to the State on bonds loaned to the company, and by so doing have saved the citizens from being taxed to meet interest on same. They have prevented the stock from being sacrificed, and placed it within the power of the stockholders to make their stock valuable at any time.

They have secured the building up of a first class road that will be the great line of travel from North to South, and defeat the building of a road now in contemplation running from Paducah to Jackson, Tenn., which road would draw off a large amount of travel and freight from the Memphis and Ohio road which would go down the Mississippi Central, or Mobile and Ohio roads out by leasing or consolidating with the Louisville and Nashville Company, the Paris and Jackson road will not be built, and all freight and travel will be induced to come by the way of Memphis, which will benefit our city and all the railroads centering here.

The lease also binds the Louisville and Nashville railroad company to operate the road so as to encourage the local business and so adjust the local tariff and wo kings of the road as to develop in the most thorough manner such local business, and that no discrimination in the freight tariff shall be made against the city of Memphis in favor of the city of Louisville.

This leasing of the road has the unanimous approval of my Board of Directors, sanctioned and ratified by the State Directors; and despite the opposition and howling of the warring party who failed in getting control of the road, I believe our acts will be sanctioned and approved by the stockholders.

A. WOODRUFF, President
Memphis and Ohio Railroad Company.

Memphis, September 24, 1867.

HOMICIDE.

A Metropolitan Policeman Killed by a Street Car Conductor.

James S. Murphy, for some time a Metropolitan Police officer, and a native of New York State, was killed by J. T. Owens, a native of Russellville, Kentucky, and a street railroad conductor on car No. 29 of the Beale street line, on Vance street, near St. Agnes. We proceed to give the facts as detailed to us. It appears that Murphy entered the car in a state of intoxication, and laid down upon the seat, and fell asleep. Owens endeavored unsuccessfully to awaken him, and finally, sooner than have any difficulty, with a car load of ladies, concluded to let him alone until the end of the route was attained. As soon as the car reached the e d of the route Murphy woke up, and asked Owens if he was the man that had endeavored to annoy him. Owens said he was. Murphy then threatened that if he did so again he would knock him down, and indulged in profane language to a great degree. Owens stood in the door of the car, when Murphy started for him, at the same time drawing a pistol. Owens seized the pistol before he could discharge it, and in the melee Murphy and Owens both fell from the car. They arose about the same time, and Murphy again endeavored to use his pistol, when Owens plunged a knife fully into him in the neighborhood of the heart, which instantly produced death. Owens, as soon as the fatal blow was given, started and caught his car, which was still in motion, and as soon as he learned of the tragic result of his blow, he sought and gave himself up to sheriff Winters, who placed him in jail. The deceased is represented to have been a quiet, gentlemanly man, and were we to judge by the physiognomy of the prisoner, we would say that he must have been some powerful muscle which would cause him to use the knife—in fact nothing less than self-defense. Murphy had been a Federal soldier, in the Quartermaster's department, during the war. The Coroner was called to hold an inquest, but up to the hour of writing, the verdict had not been received.

NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.—Last night Belle Boyd appeared as Lady Gay Spanker in London Assurance. To say that we have not seen the character better rendered would be rather disingenuous, but we can say, truthfully, that we have seen it much less effectively played. There was one thing about it—it was portrayed in all the exuberance of nature, and when Miss Boyd has lost the crudities of the novice, her delineation of this and other characters we might mention, will be more than good. The hurdle race soon, notwithstanding a slight four pot, was good, and the bright gleaming and flashing of her eye carried us away, until we forgot that before us stood Belle Boyd, the actress, and in her place we saw that same Belle Boyd who erstwhile had stood within Federal ranks as the self appointed friend (we will not call her spy) of Stonewall Jackson. The ladies fan sparkled in her eye, and the same great heart was throbbing before us. We lost the actress, and saw before us the woman, who had sacrificed all but honor for the cause for which both she and her audience had suffered. We saw the woman who the immortal Stonewall Jackson had indorsed, and upon whose fealty and services he had placed the seal of his own fame. We saw before us, she who perhaps had saved us and hundreds of others in the audience from the deadly minnie and the shrieking shell, the bayonet thrust and the saber strokes, and worse than all the living death of a Northern prison. As such last night we saw Belle Boyd, and could not help thinking how many a bright eye then in the theater would have been dimmed, and how many a pleasant hour and genial frolic would have been made desolate had it not been for her sacrifices. We claim for her not the excellence that may be gained in Northern dramatic workshops, but we claim for ourselves and our people the privilege of paying her that tribute which her character as a woman, her excellence as a young actress, and her services as a patriot merit; and, for aye, shall our best word be said for her, who, in his hour of need and danger, stopped not at bonds, but even crossed the "imminent deadly breach" to show the faith that was in her. To-night she takes a benefit, and every seat in the house should be filled. She is the representative of an idea which was, and is, and always will be dear to every Southern heart; and as such, no Confederate soldier who ever fired a musket in the late war, can forget, in time of peace, his friend in time of war. She will appear to-night as Juliana in the "Honeymoon," and the Duchess in "Paint Heart." Let the house be crowded from pit to dome.

LAW COURT.—The argument in case No. 2122, S. Watson, trustee, vs. Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad Company, was concluded on yesterday and the case handed over to the jury. The verdict will be rendered to-day.

The case of Pierce, Park & Co. vs. Jones & Co., coram nobis, comes up on Wednesday next. It was published as for yesterday through mistake. The calendar for to-day is as follows:

48 McDonald vs Titus.
2146 S Watson, trustee, vs Mississippi and Tennessee R R Co
2147 Same vs Desoto et al.
2148 Same vs Jay et al.
2149 Same vs Dalton.
2150 Same vs Same.
2151 Same vs Same.
2152 Same vs Same.
2153 Same vs Parker et al.
2154 Same vs Coleman et al.
2155 Same vs Williamson.
2156 Same vs Rembert et al.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Clothing made to order at figures that defy Northern competition to beat at Reid & Bro's, 33½ Jefferson street. 31

Ladies', misses' and childrens' shoes, seventy-five cents a pair, at J. H. Lowenstine & Bros', No. 321 Main street. 13dec

Best ten-quarter sheeting, at fifty cents, at J. H. Lowenstine & Bros', No. 321 Main street. 13dec

DRY GOODS CHEAP.—Merchants are invited to examine a full line of Domestics, Linseys, Kentucky Jeans, and general dry goods, bought during the recent decline by Menken Brothers. 7t

Calicoes, bleached and brown domestics, at ten cents, at J. H. Lowenstine & Bros', Clay Building. 13dec

THE BUSINESS PROGRESSES.—The sale of tickets, based upon city property, in a scheme in which the lot at the corner of Court and Third streets is the capital prize, continues at the Agency of the Southern Asylum. At the same place the best upland railroad farms are sold at one dollar each.

Best pillow case cotton, at twenty-five cents, at J. H. Lowenstine & Bros', Clay Building. 13dec

DRY GOODS CHEAP.—Merchants are invited to examine a full line of Domestics, Linseys, Kentucky Jeans, and general dry goods, bought during the recent decline by Menken Brothers. 7t

For a fine winter suit made up in the last agony go to Reid & Bro's, 33½ Jefferson street. 31

Just received a large lot of Confederate gray cassimeres, Irish frieze, black cloth, black beaver, doeskin &c., at Reid & Bro's, Clothiers and Merchant Tailors, 33½ Jefferson street. 31

All linen towels, twenty cents a piece, at J. H. Lowenstine & Bros', No. 321 Main street. 13dec

COURT RECESS.—This popular establishment, next door to the Criminal Court room, on Second street, is in the full tide of success. Hereafter a splendid lunch will be set at ten o'clock each day, in which oysters, and all the delicacies of the season, will figure. The wines, brandies and other liquors of this "Recess" are unequaled in the city, while the cigars have that aroma which is alone possessed by the genuine Havana. Forget not the lunch.

Official Drawing of the Missouri State Lottery.

CLASS 507, DRAWN SEPTEMBER 26, 1867.
36, 24, 25, 22, 27, 15, 14, 66, 35, 65, 8, 59, 5.

CLASS 508, DRAWN SEPTEMBER 26, 1867.
65, 34, 47, 43, 24, 78, 29, 36, 31, 21, 16, 74.

Drawn twice each day. Over $100,000 in prizes paid each day. Prizes are all cash. Tickets cost from twenty-five cents to twenty dollars. Call or send for circular.

GEO. W. VAN VOAST, Agent,
32 and 33 Jefferson street, 21 Gayoso and 6 Water streets.

Ladies', misses' and childrens' shoes, seventy-five cents, at J. H. Lowenstine & Bros', Clay Building. 13dec

SHAKE NO MORE.—"Hesperian Pills are the sure cure for Ague." They cure immediately, are pleasant to take, and the best is, they never fail to cure—even the worst cases of Ague. Price only one dollar at the drug stores. Wm. DuBois & Co., Proprietors, St. Louis, Missouri. 10

"HALF WAY HOUSE."—This elegant house is situated on the Raleigh road, four miles from the city and half way to Raleigh Springs. It is the intention of the proprietors, Messrs. Ryan & Van Vorst, to make this house a pleasant stopping place for parties on their way to the springs. Fine lunch can be set out for visitors at a moment's notice, and good liquors will always be on hand. The house is pleasantly situated, and the grounds are tastefully adorned with shade trees. The proprietors will exert themselves to enhance the comfort and pleasure of their visitors. The house is distant only a pleasant drive from the city, and will amply repay a visit. 2w

TO THE CITIZENS OF MEMPHIS.

A card which appears in some of the daily papers from Mr. Williamson has reluctantly obliged me again to address you. To justify my former correspondence, and correct the assumption of Mr. Williamson, will be my excuse.

His characterism my statements as Baron Munchausen. I have no doubt they are not very palatable to the interests he represents in the old company. I have no desire, nor do I deem it necessary in this communication, to reopen the old matters in controversy between us. I will endeavor to confine myself to a notice of Mr. Williamson's card of the 25th instant.

If I have made any misstatements in my letter of the 24th instant, they have been founded on what I deemed reliable information. I will now state the source from which I received them. On last Monday I asked Mr. Rounds, late superintendent of the old company, to inform me what was the daily amount of gas supplied by the old company. He stated about one HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOUR THOUSAND cubic feet per day. This, multiplied by the number of days in a year, would be SIXTY THREE MILLIONS EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND cubic feet, at six dollars per thousand feet, would amount to THREE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-TWO THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS per annum. At half these rates, say three dollars per thousand feet, it would amount to ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-ONE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED AND FIFTY-ONE DOLLARS per annum saved to the consumers of gas. Mr. Rounds made the above statements, as he alleged, from memory, without referring to the books. On this I based the above calculations. Mr. Williamson says the above amount is incorrect, and that I have over estimated the amount by thirty million cubic feet, or one-third half. As Mr. Williamson must be in possession of the exact figures, I will accept his figures in this particular. Well, what does his figures disclose? Simply reduce my figures to one-half, and it will show you the immense amount that have been mulcted out of by the old company. Now, I will take his figures for it. He says I have over estimated the amount of gas paid for by you per annum *two hundred thousand dollars*. Deduct this from the figures I have assumed, and it will leave the receipts of the company *one hundred and eighty-three thousand dollars* per annum. With the future you can now form an idea of the amount of gas consumed in your city. Every citizen is interested—the gas consumer or no gas consumer—the one benefited by the cheap gas, the other by a saving to the city—the immense profit going abroad kept at home.

Now, fellow citizens, in one of my early communications addressed you, I charged the profits of Mr. Dean, one of the stockholders, was from thirty-five to fifty thousand dollars last year, which has not been contradicted, after deducting large sums that have been expended in the enlargement and extension of their works. It is claimed that there are many other stockholders. If they receive a *pro rata* share, you will perceive the profits have been enormous.

The discussion of this question has elicited the above figures from the old company. You and I have received information that certainly may not have come to light were it not for this controversy.

In my communication of the 24th, I stated that Memphis paid the highest price for gas of any city in the United States, allowing her facilities for getting coal. I desire to qualify the above by saying the citizens of Memphis pay the highest pr ce for gas of any city in the United States, allowing her facilities for getting coal. I believe this to be true. I am willing to submit this statement to five disinterested citizens of Memphis.

Mr. Williamson says he forbears taking up my statements one by one and disproving them. I have made no statements in this controversy, except the simple and corrected ones in this statement. I believe all others to be true. Task no forbearance at the hands of Mr. Williamson, nor of any of his associate officers, in this gas controversy, and challenge him to disapprove any of my statements, except those already referred to. Mr. Williamson says I ought to know better than make such wild statements. I tell him I have made my statements *advisedly* and am in *every sense responsible for them*.

Again Mr. Williamson says, "continued and repeated evidence of my vague ideas of the business I seek to inaugurate cannot strengthen the confidence of the business public in its success." While I hold Mr. Williamson in high personal esteem I cannot permit him to lecture me on my ideas of business. While I have been engaged in public or private business, I hold I have managed my affairs, private and public, with as much success as he has.

He further says he has nothing to say about the letter of "Train Oil," nor do I desire again to refer to it, except in so far as its authors are connected with his Company. Should he demand the proofs of this assertion I will furnish them.

In closing this communication, I will say I have, so far, used no anonymous writers to bolster up my Company. I have affixed my signature to all letters of mine in this controversy.

The position I occupy, on the head of the present Company, has been conferred on me by my fellow Directors. From the many assurances I have received from the public to sustain this Company, I feel I am discharging a public duty and a trust imposed on me. If I were to commit my own interests or what es, I would not remain in my present position one hour. I shall be well satisfied when I place the works of the Gayoso Gas Company in a finished condition, and, the public deriving benefits therefrom, I shall then, if so desired by the Board of Directors and Stockholders, retire from the office I now hold.

Of Mr. Williamson I entertain no hard feelings personally. I leave the question to the course and the people.

JOHN DONOVAN,
President Gayoso Gas Company.

P.S.—Since I closed the above communication I have received the following from Mr. Rounds:

Gas made from the first of October, 1866, to this date, forty-seven million nine hundred and forty-three thousand cubic feet.

Now the public can judge who has made misstatements in regard to the consumption of gas in our city. J. D.

RIVER NEWS.

AVALANCHE OFFICE,
FRIDAY, September 27.

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

Weather clear and warm. The river is declining steadily with four feet four inches water on the bars between here and Cairo and six and a half feet below here. The Ohio is receding with thirty-four inches in the channel. The Arkansas continues to decline with twenty-four inches water in the channel to Little Rock. White river is falling with four and a half feet water to Augusta.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Adam Jacobs, St. Louis.
" M. S. Mapham, "
" Virginia, "
" Natoma, Marianna.
" Mary Fourth, St. Louis.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Adam Jacobs, St. Louis.
" M. S. Mapham, New Orleans.
" Virginia, "
" T. W. Brooks, White river.
" J. S. McCune, St. Louis.
" Mary Fourth, New Orleans.

IN PORT.

Natoma and American.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The bar is visibly extending in front, uninteresting and monotonous entertainment. Briefly, as though it were shaken with the Gentiles of Hopefull with Memphis, by mutual ties. The Mississippi river has gone down to a low stage, and the Ohio is in worse condition than it has been since 1858, and only a few inches better. No material rise is anticipated before November, the equinoctial storms having postponed their "fantastic tricks" for some sufficient reason, we suppose. In the Mississippi, at Island 36 and Phillips' bar, there are but four feet, four inches water—a most allowance for descending boats.

Business has been unusually and inexplicably dull. In fact, it has been unprecedented. The alarming extent of yellow fever at New Orleans, spreading even in the interior, has cut off a great deal of trade, and it is a pity expected that it will lengthen until the Southern scourge has fulfilled its mission, and the coming of frost reinstates the equilibrium of the atmosphere.

The Evansville *Journal* of the 24th, in speaking of low water mentions that of 1858—or possibly that of 1838—was "next lowest on record"—the winter of 1816. We have a distinct recollection of 1838, when in the Ohio, from Cincinnati to Louisville, and on the bars below, there was represented to be less water than past records afforded. None but lightest boats could run then, and none but the very lightest boats can wade the Ohio now. Perhaps, when the channel of the Mississippi shall have been washed out, navigation will be precarious, and heavy freights absolutely impracticable.

The J. S. McCune has retired from the Memphis and White river trade, as we predicted she could not make it pay, and was compelled to hunt some other field of labor which would be remunerative to her coffers.

The M. S. Mapham and Virginia, from St. Louis for New Orleans, passed down yesterday.

The Commonwealth, bound down, is sojourning at Island Thirty-four.

The F. W. Brooks finally got off last evening for White river.

The Adam Jacobs left for St. Louis last evening, with a fair passenger list, including a delegation of ladies and gentlemen, excursionists, en route to Niagara Falls, to attend the Ticket Agents' Convention.

The Yankee, with her barges, is still fighting the sand bars above here.

Captain Steve Wilkins, our efficient Wharfmaster, and Captain Bob Gibson, returned home yesterday.

The boat named the Natoma arrived last evening from Marianna. She is advertised to leave to-day for Natoma and Marianna, and will get off if nothing intervenes to detain her.

The Cornelia, Captain Baker, leaves the wharfboat, foot of Jefferson street, to-day at five p.m., for Cairo and St. Louis.

THE SURVEY OF THE TENNESSEE RIVER.—The party having the survey in charge, under the direction of Colonel W. E. Gaw, left Chattanooga on Saturday. Up to Tuesday last they had completed the survey of the first obstruction below the city the Ross Tow Head. This obstruction consists of a shoal of rocks and gravel, extending acro s the river at the head of a small island bearing this name, and another at the foot of the island, of sand and gravel. The greatest depth of low water across the bar is about twelve inches. It is proposed to remove by blasting the cr sts of numerous hog back rocks of moderate size extending across the head of the channel, which it is believed will afford a sufficiency of water. Should this fail, it is proposed to extend a wing dam two hundred yards long and from one to three feet high, obliquely across the channel, on the right side of the island, commencing at its head, and running obliquely upward nearly half way toward the Chattanooga shore. The party are now engaged upon the Cumberland shoals, at the foot of Raccoon mountain. Every character of the river is being noted as the party proceed, and when the report of Colonel Gaw is published will form an interesting addition to our river reports.

Captain J. T. Stockdale has sold his one-third interest in the Isabella, now laid up at the St. Louis, to Captain H. K. Hazlette, at the rate of $6,000 for the entire boat. Captain W. J. Kounts has also disposed of his interest in the same boat to Captain Hazlette, at the same rate. It is said that Captain Hazlette will build for her machinery, etc.

Captain James M. Tanner, engineer of the Isabella, died on board the Walter Dance, on the morning of the 22d, of cholera.

The Princess is loading at St. Louis for Arkansas river.

The sherman is loading at St. Louis for Vicksburg, and the stern-wheel steamer Illinois for Memphis, under the auspices of the Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company.

The Bowena, Captain J. B. Davis, is the regular Saturday White river mail packet. She will be found at the wharf this morning ready to receive.

The Des Arc, Captain John Elliott, is the regular Saturday Vicksburg and bends mail packet. She will be found at the wharf this morning.

The American, Captain Ed Nolan, is receiving at the wharf for Arkansas river, and leaves on Saturday at five p.m.

The Cincinnati *Gazette* says that Mr. H. S. Saroni has nearly completed, for Admiral Tegethoff, of the Austrian navy, a pleasure boat, which the Admiral intends to take with him to Europe. The boat is built of iron, seven feet beam, with propeller twenty-eight inches in diameter; has two engines with three inch cylinders, six inches stroke, working at right angles. The boiler is twenty-six inches in diameter and five feet long. The cabin is eight feet long and seven feet high with cushioned seats and curtained windows, and is lighted with vapor generated from gasoline, the motive power of the boat being supplied by steam generated from heat produced by the vapor of gasoline.

The St. Louis *Democrat*, of Wednesday, says:

The rains have even affected the river at this point. Stationary yesterday for about five minutes, and then it resumed its usual rate of decline, two and a half inches per twenty-four hours. There has been a rise almost everywhere above, but so slight as to hardly cause a remark of three or four inches. Business at the wharf is becoming more animated. If boats don't come in, they ought to be arriving in unusual numbers, with all the freight possible, on the water and tons of barges. The Memphis packet went out with all the freight she could draw ing five feet and left a large quantity for to-day's boat. Boats from the upper Mississippi can into port literally crowded with passengers. Outward passenger trips to the upper rivers are also good, generally. Weather becoming warm again. James Christopher died in this city on Monday, aged forty-five years. He was well known on the river, having been barkeeper on the Florence and Montana during a number of years; he leaves a family, resident here. The Lady Gay has laid up at this port. Her commander, Captain Bell, is recovering from a spell of sickness.

STEAMBOATS.

LARRY HARMSTAD & CO.,

Steamboat Agents and Proprietors,
Memphis City Wharf-boat,
OFFICE—287 Main street, corner of Madison.
se19

FOR WHITE RIVER.

Regular Memphis and White River Packet.
For Helena, Duvall's Bluff, Augusta and Jacksonport.
Rowena.....Davis, master
This elegant packet will leave as above on SATURDAY, September 28, at 5 p.m.
JAS. T. BOURNE & CO., Agents,
se26 No. 12 Jefferson street.

Regular Memphis and White River Saturday Packet
For Helena, Duvall's Bluff, Augusta and Jacksonport.
Rowena.....Davis, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above SATURDAY, September 28, at 5 p.m.
LEVY & MILLER, Agents,
se27 5½ Madison street.

FOR ST. LOUIS.

Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company.
For Hickman, Columbus, Cairo and St. Louis.
Cornelia.....Baker, master
This splendid passenger will leave as above THIS DAY, September 27, at 5 p.m.
se27 FLEM. CALVERT, Superintendent.

FOR VICKSBURG.

Regular Memphis and Vicksburg Saturday Packet.
For Helena, Napoleon Vicksburg and the Bends.
Des Arc.....Elliott, master
This splendid passenger packet will leave for the above on SATURDAY, September 28, at 5 p.m.
se27 LEVY & MILLER, Agents, 5½ Madison street.

FOR ARKANSAS RIVER.

Regular Memphis and Arkansas river packet.
For Helena, Napoleon, Pine Bluff and Little Rock.
American.....Nolan, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above SATURDAY, September 28, at 5 p.m.
se27 LEVY & MILLER, Agents, 5½ Madison street.

Regular Memphis and Arkansas River Packet.
For Napoleon, Pine Bluff and Little Rock.
American.....Nolan, master
This commodious side wheel steamer will depart as above SATURDAY, September 28, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
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Important Proclamation of the Mayor.

The Election to be Held at all Hazards.

A Collision Imminent.

To satisfy and quiet the public mind upon the subject of the approaching election, I feel it my duty to declare that the regular charter election of the city of Nashville will be held on Saturday next, unless prevented by the military power of *the United States*. It is my duty, as Mayor of the city, to see that the laws be faithfully executed; and we shall hardly be deterred from the performance of that duty by any force of mere militia, with which our good and quiet citizens are threatened. Those men know that if they only sought their lawful rights, there would be nothing to prevent their holding a separate election, and seeking, in a time of profound peace, to establish their rights by legal means. If, instead of this, under the pretense of enforcing the provisions of the Franchise law by a murderous assault on our citizens or judges, it is my duty to see that these citizens and judges are protected. There is no color of law to justify the threatened interference, and it shall not be permitted, if any means in my power can prevent it. It is not the purpose of the corporate authorities to interfere with any class of citizens in the peaceful exercise of their rights in their own way; last of all, is it their purpose to resort to violence to prevent a free exercise of choice by any and all in such mode and under such view of the laws as they may adopt. Let the courts, the only proper arbiters, decide in the end if we are wrong, and we will bow to their decision; but we will not be deterred from the free exercise of our rights by any power on earth, except that of the United States.

W. MATT BROWN, Mayor.

NASHVILLE, September 25, 1867.

Referring to the above, the Nashville correspondent of the *Missouri Republican*, telegraphs Tuesday night that it is confidently expected that General Duncan, the Federal commander of the District, will aid the city authorities, as it is generally conceded that the latter have the law on their side, as far as the appointment of election officers is concerned. Preparations on both sides are now the order of the day. General Cooper is concentrating his militia here, while the civil authorities are vigorously on the alert, and will be likely to have an armed force of three to one of the militia. A public meeting of citizens will be held on Thursday looking to the support and encouragement of the civil authorities in the present contest.

A dispatch from Washington to the same journal, of the same date, says: General Grant sent a dispatch to General George H. Thomas to-night, at Louisville, ordering him to proceed at once to Nashville and take command, and maintain the peace at the point of the bayonet. General Grant says: "You will be supplied with all of the troops that are necessary." The President and General Grant believe that General Thomas will prevent an outbreak, although the Government has not undertaken to decide as to which party is right.

REPREHENSIBLE CONDUCT OF GOVERNOR PATTON.

His Active Interference to Prevent the Conviction of the Perpetrators of the Dog River Atrocities.

From the Mobile Tribune, 26th.]

Governor Patton is in town. He is engaged in the persistent attempt to clear from the gallows they deserve the perpetrators of the Dog River outrage. The Governor was engaged the whole of yesterday in the office of the Probate Judge, having around him, besides many black witnesses, the judge of that court, the coroner and others, brought chiefly to question the character of the unfortunate Peters family, the victims of that diabolical outrage. This was, however unsuccessful. He called the father of the family before him, asking him whether he had not contradicted his own evidence after it was given. The wife had also to appear before that rather irregular and extra judicial tribunal, and be subjected to an investigation, the object of which was to cause perturbation of mind, and thus discredit the clear evidence given before a duly constituted court of law.

But this was not all: the Governor—by a right unknown to our laws—ordered Mr. Peters and his wife to meet him at six o'clock p. m., *being nearly dark*, at the city jail, and when there, six negroes, of about the same age and size were placed in a line, and the victims were then asked to point out the guilty ones. It must be remembered that nearly five months have elapsed since the commission of the outrage; that during the whole of that time the accused have been locked up, kept out of the sun, fed on food far superior to that they were accustomed to, and that their old ragged clothes have been exchanged for the cleaner garments of the jail. To two of them, however, Mr. Peters at once pointed as the perpetrators of the crime, and to the third one, who has grown very fat on prison fare, he also pointed, after closer scrutiny. Mrs. Peters was slower, but yet positively identified the three men. This lasted over three quarters of an hour, after which the Governor dismissed the victims without a word.

On the same morning, a consultation was held in the office of the State Solicitor, at which the Governor listened to the reading of a manuscript—not the record, of course—and there he was informed that Mr. Bromberg said that he "tought de defensh ad bin patly conducted," and "dat penitentiary yur life was enough." This opinion is entitled to much respect, although we did not know that Governor Patton was provided with a privy counsel, and that Mr. Bromberg presided it.

We place these facts before the world—not the State of Alabama, in which no justice can be expected. It would be easier for Governor Patton, with the advice and consent of the league, to inform his subjects that hereafter negroes are not amenable to law, and that white men and women must be made to understand this—the sooner, the better. Now, if by a preconcerted plan, while the light of day was fast waning, and Mr. and Mrs. Peters, being aged and, of course, not endowed with keen eyesight, it had been arranged to have NONE of the convicted negroes presented to them, but only others as much in size and appearance as the real criminals as possible, what would the world say of such a derision of the majesty of justice and the dignity of the executive chair?

MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE, FRIDAY, September 27.

Local finances yesterday ruled quiet, with no change worthy of note. Money continues to rule close, with the rates of interest firm as unchanged.

Gold remained firm and steady; buying at 142@142¼. Silver firm; buying at 135@136.

EXCHANGE—Is dull and the buying rates are easier. Our banks are selling at 3@3½ premium, and buying at par.

CITY SCRIP—Is dull and quiet; buying as heretofore, and selling at 98@100.

COUNTY WARRANTS—In active demand with little on the market; buying at 70@72 and selling at 75.

POLICE SCRIP—Firm and steady; buying at 82@86, and selling at 86@90.

Tennessee money is scarce and inactive. Dealers did as follows: For Bank of Tennessee, old issue, 80; Bank of West Tennessee, 80; Bank of Chattanooga, 10; Bank of Middle Tennessee, 80; City Bank, 30; Mercantile Bank, 80; Northern Bank, 80; Ocoee Bank, 80; Farmers' Bank, 80; Union Bank, 80; Shelbyville Bank, 80; Southern Bank, 80; Traders' Bank, 80; Bank of Knoxville, 40; Commercial Bank, par; Bank of Commerce, par; Bank of the Union, 80; Buck's Bank, 80; 6th and General Insurance Bank, 80; Union Bank certificates, 80; Bank of Commerce, 80; Bank of Paris, 90.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE, FRIDAY, September 27, 1867.

Trade in the leading markets exhibited very little animation yesterday. There was little doing, aside from a small jobbing trade in plantation supplies. The markets are well supplied with prices firm, and well maintained.

COTTON.—The market yesterday was dull, with few inquiries and light offerings. The decline and depression of the New York market had a corresponding effect on the market here, and throughout the day exhibited a dull appearance, with a small list of sales:

Middling	31
Low Middling	29
Good Ordinary	28
Ordinary	26

The question of tare, on cotton iron ties, is stated by the well known house of T. Mallory & Co., in New street, New York, under date of August 27th, 1867:

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GENERAL MARKET.

[NOTE.—Our quotations are for wholesale prices unless otherwise stated. In filling same, orders for the city or country trade an advance of three to five per cent. is obtained.]

FLOUR—Is higher, with a small local and shipping trade doing; the stock on hand is in excess of the demand. We quote fancy brands, $8 00@8 50; XX, $7@7 50; XXX $7@7 50.

CORN—Is dull with no receipts and light demand. Prices are firm and well maintained, owing to the small stock on hand. White and yellow sell at as at $1 10@1 20.

OATS—Are in fair demand, with the receipts equal to the requirements; 70c per bushel.

HAY—Is dull, with prices firm. Choice timothy, 3@3½; prairie, 2@2½.

CORN MEAL—Firm and steady at $5 75@6 00 per cushel.

PROVISIONS—Firm and steady, with a fair demand for pork and steady sales of lard. The receipts are equal to the requirements. Mess pork, $27@28; clear pork, $26@27; mess bacon, clear sides, 18@19; clear ribbed sides, 18@19c; shoulders, 15@16c; breakfast bacon, 18@19c; plain canvassed hams, 18@20c; sugar cured hams, 18@20c; Lard, firm, with a fair demand; keg lard, 16@18c; tierce lard, 16@17c.

COFFEE—Steady, with a fair jobbing trade doing; prices are firm and leading upward; Rio prime, Laguyra and Java 28@30c.

MOLASSES—Market inactive; New Orleans 80@90c; sorghum, 60@70c; syrups, 60@70.

SUGAR—Is scarce and still; crushed and powdered, 20c; coffee sugar, 19@20c.

CHICKENS—Steady; old, $4 50@5 per dozen; young, $3 50@4 per dozen.

EGGS—Firm and scarce at 30@35 per dozen.

BUTTER—Choice yellow is in fair demand, with little on the market; selling as scarce; inferior at 30@35c.

POTATOES—Are firm, with light receipts. Choice rule at $3 50@4 50.

ONIONS—Dull at $4@4 25.

RICE—Quiet at 13@15c.

SALT—Quiet at $2 75 @ bbl.

TALLOW—Held at 10c @ lb.

OIL—Quiet at $2 @ dozen kegs.

CHEESE—Is in moderate demand; Reserve, 13@16c.

BEESWAX—Is demand at 30c.

HOPS—Still 14@16c.

BAGGING—Nominal; Kentucky, 32@36c.

BRAN—Firm and scarce at $17 @ ton.

CEMENT—Quiet at $2 @ bbl; Rosendale, $1 25@4 25.

PAINTS, OILS, ETC.—The market is inactive. We quote white lead, as to quality, 12@15c; American zinc, 10@12c; French zinc, 13@16c; linseed oil, $1 @1; turpentine, $1 15; dryers, $1 @1 10.

SPERMACETI—Quiet at 60@65 @ pound for shipment.

WHALE—Is in fair demand; sperm, 30c; salted, 18@20c; green 16@18c.

TURPENTINE—Dull at 60@65 @ gallon.

CANDLES—Dull at 16c for light weights.

WOOL—Is in fair demand; unwashed, 30@35c; washed, 38@40c @ pound.

WHISKY—Market steady and quiet, with a small trade doing, sales of common at $1 80@2 00; bourbon, $2@2 50; Tennessee, $2@2 50; Virginia, new work, $2@2 25; fine bright, $2 50@2 75; choice Virginia, new work, $2@2 25; fine bright, $2 50@2 75; medium do, pounds, rather; common bright, pounds, $2@2 10; medium do, pounds, rather; common bright, pounds, $2@2 10; fine fancy smoking, $2@2 10.

GUNPOWDER—Inactive and nominal at $5 @ keg; $4 50 @ half keg; $2 @ quarter keg.

LEATHER—Quiet and steady. Oak sole, 40@50c; hemlock, 30@35c; harness, 38@40c; skirting, 50@55c; uppers, @ dozen, $60@80; French calf, 90@1 00; French kip, $1@1 10.

LARD—Dull; keg lead, 16@18c; tierce, 14@15c.

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FISH—Quiet, with a fair jobbing trade doing. North Carolina white shad, half barrel, $6 50; family Roe herrings, half barrel, $3 50; cut herrings, $4; mackerel, No. 1 @ half barrel, $8; half barrel, $6@7; @ kit, $2 50@3; No. 2 @ barrel, $6; @ half barrel, $4@5; @ kit, $2@2 50; No. 3 @ half barrel, $5; @ half barrel, $3@4; @ kit, $1 50@2; @ half barrel, $2; dried fish, @ half barrel, $3; @ pound, 15c; dried herrings @ box, 35c.

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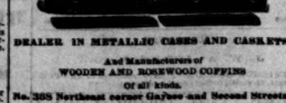

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For instruction in the above polite and elegant accomplishments.

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Ladies' Class, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 10 a.m.
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He will also give private lessons at

St. Mary's, Tuesdays and Fridays, 3 p.m.
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La Salle, Mondays and Thursdays, 4 p.m.
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Terms $40 per session of Twenty-four Lessons.

Application for admission into any of the classes will not be received during the hours of instruction, but Mr. L. will receive applications for admission of pupils at the Gayoso House from 9 a.m. to 12 m. each day.

No spectators allowed during the hours of instruction except parents and guardians of pupils. se17

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THE first term of this Law School will open on WEDNESDAY, October 16, 1867, and continue for six months. Instruction will be given during the course (two years) in—

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Hon. S. F. Miller, of United States Supreme Court; Hon. D. Hon. S. F. Miller, of United States Supreme Court; Hon. D. Wagner, Chief Justice of Missouri; Hon. A. Krekel, United States Judge Western District Missouri; Hon. C. S. Lord, Hon. S. Reber, Judges St. Louis Circuit Court; W. S. Rosecrans, late Chief Justice of Missouri; John R. Shepley, esq.; C. C. Whittelsey, esq.; John M. Krum, esq.; Samuel T. Glover, esq.; John M. Krum, Esq.; James O. Broadhead, Esq.

For Circulars with further information, apply on and after September 1, to S. A. Bangs, President Savings Institution, No. 81 Olive street, St. Louis, Missouri.

HENRY HITCHCOCK, Dean of Law Faculty.

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Stockholders' Meeting of the Memphis & Ohio Railroad Company.

THE regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Memphis and Ohio Railroad Company will take place at the Company's office, in the city of Memphis, on MONDAY, the 7th day of October next, for the purpose of electing thirteen Directors for the ensuing year.

By order of

L. S. KENNEDY, Secretary and Treasurer. J. WOODRUFF, President.

LEGAL.

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust to me executed by John M. Deed to of record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book No. 61, pages 173, 178 and 179, for the purpose of securing to Hiram A. Tarbox the payment of a certain note therein described, and whereas the said note is now due and unpaid, and the said Hiram A. Tarbox, by virtue of the power in me vested by said deed of trust, will, on Monday, the 28th day of October, 1867, between the hours of eleven A.M. and two P.M., at the court house door, Gayoso block, in the city of Memphis, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the property in said deed conveyed and described, that is: Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 13, in the subdivision of the estate of A. B. Carr, at a stake in the Poplar Grove road, north 16 degrees, east 10 links from a poplar marked I. C.; and thence south 10 chains 81 links to a stake, south 74 degrees, west thirty links from a poplar marked M.; thence north fifty degrees, west 7 chains 50 links to E. Hudson's line; thence north 8 chains 81 links to the Poplar Grove road; thence east 8 chains to the beginning, containing about fourteen acres. The above metes and bounds are taken as far as they refer to the subdivision of the land of the said division C of A. B. Carr's estate, and the portion of the land described in the deed of J. P. Carpenter to Samuel Kane, deed, recorded in book 61, part second, page 98, etc., and described in the deed of Samuel Kane to Mary E. Kane, deed and F. W. Robertson to H. A. Montgomery, in book 61, part second, page 100, etc., containing a splendid residence. Situated in the Shelby county.

TERMS—Cash. Title believed to be good, but I convey only as trustee. The equity of redemption waived.

ROBERT J. MATTHEWS, Trustee.

Administrator's Notice.

HAVING qualified as the administrator of Elijah Brooks, deceased, I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against said estate are required to present them, duly authenticated, in the time prescribed by law, and all indebted to said estate to come forward and make immediate payment.

I may be found, when in the city, at office of Winchester & Hatcher, in Second street.

JOHN S. BROOKS.

Administrator's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Geraldus Dubuys, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that we have filed our settlement of said Court, and that we will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the October term, 1867, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk. R. D. GOODWIN, A. S. HAYNES, G. O. HUNTER, Administrators.

Administrator's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of S. F. Williford, deceased

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of S. F. Williford, deceased, with the Clerk of said County, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the October term, 1867, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis. Approved September 5, 1867.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk. HENRY B. WILLIFORD, Administrator. se7

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust to me executed by Thomas Dunlavy, on the 17th day of November, 1866, which deed is of record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book No. 58, part 2, pages 169 to 171, inclusive, to secure to Sarah Ann Perry the prompt payment of certain notes therein specified, and whereas the first of said notes is due and unpaid; now, therefore, by virtue of the power in me vested by said deed of trust, I will,

On Tuesday, the 8th of October, 1867,

Between the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., at the southwest corner of Main and Madison streets, in the city of Memphis, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the property in said deed conveyed and described thus: Being in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, and near said city, and beginning at the intersection of the east side of Marley avenue, with the south side of Brinkley street, as laid down on S. W. Rucker's map of said city; thence southwardly with Marley avenue, 165½ feet; thence at right angles with Marley avenue, westwardly, 165 feet; thence northwardly, parallel with Marley avenue, 165½ feet to Brinkley street; thence east with Brinkley street 200 feet, to the beginning.

Terms—Cash. Title believed to be good, but I convey only as trustee. The equity of redemption waived.

GEORGE M. MONSARRATT, Trustee se17

Administrator's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Wm. J. Reaves, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of Wm. P. Reaves, deceased, with the Clerk of said County, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the October term, 1867, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis. Approved September 5, 1867.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk. HENRY B. WILLIFORD, Administrator. se7

Sheriff's Sale.

Alfred Dixon vs. William Galloway.

I WILL, on Thursday, the 10th day of October, 1867, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Memphis, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit: One lot of FURNITURE, levied on as the property of the defendant in the above case. Said property sold by order of court.

P. M. WINTERS, Sheriff of Shelby County.

J. F. LANFORD, D. S. se26

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust to me executed by Thomas S. Jackson on the 14th day of October, 1865, (which deed is of record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book No. 61, part first, pages 128, 129 and 130,) to secure to J. M. Brooks the prompt payment at maturity of two notes therein specified, and whereas said notes have long since become due and remain unpaid; now, therefore, by virtue of the power in me vested by said trust conveyance, I will,

On Monday, 7th of October, 1867,

between the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., at the southeast corner of Court Square, in the city of Memphis, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the property in said deed conveyed, described as follows, to wit: Lying and being in the city of Memphis and known as lot No. 69 on the plan of said city, and beginning at a stake on the west line of Washington street at a point where Robins and Lane's southeastern corner is fixed on said street, (in north side) in a deed made to said Brooks by John M. Lane and his wife Elizabeth, which deed is of record in the Register's office in book 58, pages 84 and 85, to which reference is here made; thence from this point so fixed east sixty-one feet on said line to the north line of Mrs. Elizabeth Lane, said Brooks' southwestern corner on said street; thence on and with said Lane and wife's west boundary line 140½ feet to an alley; thence west 61 feet parallel with said Lane and wife's west line to the beginning; thence south 140½ feet parallel with said Lane and wife's west line to the beginning.

Terms cash. Title believed to be good, but I convey only as trustee. The equity of redemption is waived.

S. P. READ, Trustee.

In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee.

No. 1365—Mary E. Jones et al., vs. Mary E. Moore et al.

It appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant Louisa T. Vaughn is a non resident of the State of Tennessee: It is therefore ordered that she make her appearance herein, at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in December, 1867, and plead, answer or demur to complainants' original and amended bill, or the same will be taken for confessed, as to her, and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTUS A. LEVOY, Clerk and Master.

BY R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
FINLAY & KELLER, Sols. for